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## G. T. FOX CROSSES DIVIDE

Was One of This County's Most Widely Known and Best Beloved Citizens

G. T. Fox died at his home in this city Thursday morning from a stomach trouble from which he had been a sufferer for years. Mr. Fox passed his 82nd year August last. He was married to Miss Annie Chenault in 1870 and from this union there were four children: Thomas, deceased; David, Mrs. G. W. Stoner and William, deceased, and is survived by his wife and two children, David and Mrs. Stoner.

Mr. Fox was a native of Madison county. The most of his life was spent on the farm, and in this vocation he was very successful, at the time of his death being the owner of about 800 acres of choice Montgomery county land. Mr. Fox was always modest, reserved and a very popular citizen, correct in all of his dealings. Many years ago he became identified with the Christian church of this city and made a consistent member. By the death of Mr. Fox is the removing of another landmark. Of him it is said by all, he was a just man.

The funeral service was held at his late home on High street Friday afternoon by Rev. Clyde Darsie, assisted by B. W. Trimble, and the remains were buried in Machpelah Cemetery.

As an honest man none were truer to the principles of justice than he was, as a moral man his life was a worthy example, and as a business man he was energetic and correct. The world would be better were there more like him.

### MISS LAURA ROONEY

has the Moore-Cottrell Magazine agency. See her before ordering or renewing your subscriptions. Duerson's Drug Store. Phone 129.

Best line of Xmas fruits and candies at Vanarsdell's.

### GROWTH OF BUSINESS AT POSTOFFICE

First year, Postmaster Turner was in office there were 794 registrants; in the last six months there have been 1,400.

Sent out 6,112 insured packages since July 1 and up to December 22, 1919. When Postmaster Turner went into office, were averaging less than 20 money orders a day. The average now is more than 50 per day.

Averaged 50 or 60 sacks of mail to each train since December 18, 1919, containing at least an average of 15 packages to the sack.

Railway mail clerks say mail comes out of the Mt. Sterling post-office properly labeled and in first-class condition.

Of the immense amount of packages received the past week for city or rural delivery every one was delivered the day it was received. The first-class mail was also heavier than heretofore and it was all delivered the day it was received.

Postmaster Turner and force have worked every day for the past ten days, Sundays included, from 7 A. M. to 8 or 9 P. M., and had a wagon running all the time during the holidays delivering Christmas packages.

The Mt. Sterling postoffice is requisitioned office for 142 third and fourth-class offices and auditing office for 18.

The postal receipts of the office have increased \$600 to \$700 a year since Postmaster Turner took charge.

The postoffice has sold thousands of W. S. Stamps and Certificates, Internal Revenue and Proprietary Stamps.

There is some work ahead for the postmaster and his force and they can and will do it promptly.

Speaks volumes for the postal service and the local office.

### MARRIED

On the eighteenth Miss Anna Maude Johnson, of Middletown, was married to E. B. Richards, of Shively, at the home of Rev. R. M. Reynolds, who officiated.



Whether you intend buying for yourself or as a gift, there is nothing more sensible to choose than a Diamond. Its value constantly increases. Our special designs in mountings will appeal to everyone—Choose her gift—now.

D. Adler & Son  
LEXINGTON, KY.

Republican papers are asserting now that the ratification of the treaty with Germany cannot be an issue in the next campaign. Do these organs think Republican senators can kill an issue as readily as they killed the treaty?

FALL ANNOUNCEMENT

We have New Fall models and beautiful materials from which to fashion your tailored gown....

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Ladies' Tailor  
408 Fayette National Bank  
Building  
Lexington, Ky.  
30-lyr.

Chesapeake & Ohio R'v

Shortest and Quickest Route  
Through Pullman Sleepers  
—to—  
Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia  
and New York  
Direct Route to Richmond, Va., Old  
Point, Norfolk, Virginia and  
North Carolina.

Two Through Trains to Louisville.  
Steel Equipment—Dining Cars.

WHAT WILSON DEMANDS

The workman demands an adequate wage, sufficient to permit him to live in comfort, unhampered by the fear of poverty and want in his old age. He demands the right to live and the right to work amidst sanitary surroundings, both in home and in workshop, surroundings that develop and do not retard his own health and well being; and the right to provide for his children's wants in the matter of health and education. In other words, it is his desire to make the conditions of his life and the lives of those dear to him tolerant and easy to bear—Woodrow Wilson, in the President's message to Congress December 2.

In the above, of which the capitals are ours, the President shows plainly that it is every man's duty to guard against want in his old age. It was not his province to point out the particular way in which man should save. But saving is the only way to guard against these torments of old age—want and poverty. Systematic saving and wise investing of the savings is a necessity. War Savings Stamps for small savers and Treasury Savings Certificates for large ones offers the best and safest investment that the U. S. government can devise.

Read Advocate Classified ads.

"FRAUD, CONSPIRACY,  
CORRUPTION!"

With the help of Senator Newberry's vote the Republican senators of the Sixty-sixth Congress organized the Senate, selected the chairman and a majority of the members of all committees, controlled and directed the course of legislation and forced the rejection of the treaty of peace and the League of Nations.

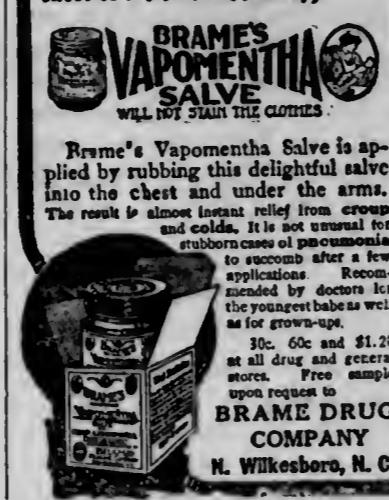
The methods by which Senator Newberry was chosen a senator from Michigan and a member of the Senate's Republican majority are to be determined by criminal prosecutions, which have already been initiated by the indictment of 134 persons—including Senator Newberry himself. In support of these indictments there has been submitted evidence of fraud, conspiracy, corruption and debauchery without precedent in American history. It is alleged that not less than \$500,000, and perhaps even \$1,000,000 was paid for this crime against the balance.

At the beginning of the special session of Congress—when the Republican majority in the Senate was "packing" committees and preparing to defeat the treaty and the League of Nations—there was a general demand that the Senate investigate the charges lodged against the managers of Senator Newberry's campaign. There was even then warrant for action that would either vindicate Senator Newberry and the



PREVENT PNEUMONIA

Neglect of a simple cold is often the direct cause of pneumonia. Children do not like to take nauseating medicine but do like the soothing effect of the external remedy.



Brame's Vapomenthia Salve is applied by rubbing this delightful salve into the chest and under the arms.

The result is almost instant relief from chills and colds. It is not unusual for stubborn cases of pneumonia to succumb after a few applications of this salve.

Prescribed by doctors for the youngest babies as well as for grown-ups.

30c, 60c and \$1.20 at all drug and general stores. Free sample upon request to

BRAME DRUG COMPANY

N. Wilkesboro, N. C.

# 372 ACRES OF BOURBON'S BEST TOBACCO LAND

We, as agents for M. C. Clay and S. B. Lane will sell at public auction on the premises, 3 1/2 miles from Paris on the Clintonville turnpike, on Tuesday, January 6, 1920, at 10:30 A. M., their farm of 372 acres to the highest and best bidder without reserve or by-bid. This farm will be subdivided and sold in five tracts.

TRACT NO. 1—Contains 127 acres, is well watered and fenced and is all in grass except 20 acres, most all of the tract is in old Blue Grass sod, improvements consist of an 8-room residence, good cellar at door, good 10-acre tobacco barn, splendid stock barn, corn crib and all necessary outbuildings, essential to a first-class farm.

TRACT NO. 2—Contains 90 acres, is well watered and fenced and is all in Blue Grass and clover; improvements consist of a 4-room house in first-class condition.

TRACT NO. 3—Contains 40 acres, 30 acres of it in virgin soil, with plenty of oak, walnut and ash timber on it; 10 acres was broken out of virgin soil this year and one crop of tobacco raised on it this year; is now seeded to rye. Improvements consist of one 10-acre tobacco barn.

TRACT NO. 4—Contains 55 acres of virgin soil with plenty of large timber on it. Well watered and lays well.

TRACT NO. 5—Contains 60 acres of virgin soil with large oak, walnut and ash timber. Lays well and is well watered; all of the above tracts adjoin each other and have splendid building sites and large pike frontage. Tobacco growers will make no mistake in buying a tract of this land as you can pay for the land with one crop of tobacco.

This is undoubtedly the best Bourbon county farm that we have ever offered for sale.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION APPLY TO

**BUCKLEY & GAREY**  
VERSAILLES, KY.

Or HARRIS & SPEAKES, Paris, Ky.

"STOP BUYING LUXURIES,"  
IS HIGH COST ANTIDOTE

Women of Illinois will lead the campaign against the high cost of living. A woman is to take charge of the entire State organization being formed to batter down prices. Her powers, it is expected, will be even greater than those of Major A. A. Sprague, fair price commissioner for the State of Illinois.

But the Republican members of the United States Senate made no response to these demands. They made no move to exculpate Mr. Newberry, to preserve the good name of the Senate or to protect the rights of voters. Instead, they accepted the vote and assistance of Mr. Newberry and seemingly welcomed him as the margin of one by which they dominated public and party affairs in the Senate for six months of the special session.

At last this Republican majority will have to act. Indictments based on evidence have corroborated public opinion regarding the need of an investigation and have forced the United States Senate to determine once for all whether Senatorial seats are purchasable. Meantime the nation's attention is focused on the Republican majority, which for half a year has refused to question the practices of those who promoted Senator Newberry's campaign. The disclosures will force a scrutiny of the whole career of this Republican majority during the pendency of the treaty of peace and the League of Nations. It will raise the question, whether a Senatorial vote in furthering a program of obstruction and reaction was more important than the honesty of elections, the sanctity of popular government and the honor of the United States Senate.

With the Republican majority—which, by its preponderance and its command in the Senate, has the larger share of responsibility—now wait for the courts to decide the fitness or unfitness of a United States Senator! Will Republican leaders in the Senate take refuge in the excuse that a jury must do what they had a chance, a need, and an occasion to do any time these six months?

Read the Classified ads.

JOHN WHITE & CO.  
LOUISVILLE, KY.  
Liberal assortment and full value paid  
for raw FURS  
Hides and  
Goat Skins



American Cafeterias

122 N. Upper St. Lexington, Ky.  
7 S. Main St. Winchester, Ky.

The best meal for the least money.  
Home cooking, self service—  
It's ready—you won't have  
to wait—it's CLEAN.

Highest Market Price Paid

— for —  
Poultry and Produce

G. D. Sullivan & Co.  
W. Locust Street Mt. Sterling, Ky.  
Phones: Office 474; Residence 132

YOU CANNOT HIDE THE TRUTH

About the Clark Automatic Gate. It is sold "by Right of Merit" and "by Reason of Demand." Could any article have a better selling argument?

Clark Automatic Gates are stock proof—always locked—an economical investment. They are a real necessity and inexpensive.

"Quality goes in before the name goes on"

**CLARK GATE CO.**  
(Incorporated)  
LEXINGTON, - - KENTUCKY

George N. Connell Company

INTERIOR DECORATORS

LEXINGTON, KY.

COMPLETE HOME DECORATORS

Brenlin Window Shades—The best cloth made for shading windows is carried by us exclusively

Quaker Lace, by the yard and by the pair

We have Lamp Shade Frames, making Shades to order or supply Frame and materials

Wall Paper, both domestic and imported

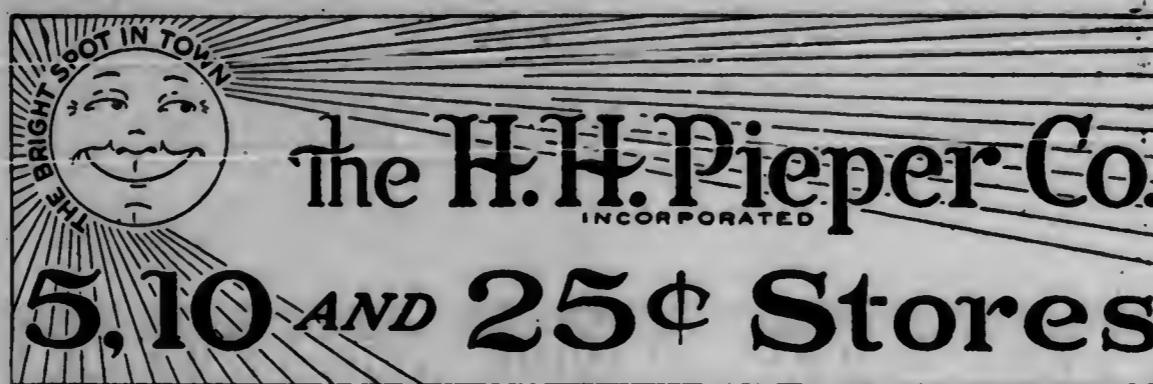
Cretonne and Chintzes for making of Bags, Pillows and covering of Boxes

We do upholstering and furnish the materials

We do interior painting and hardwood finishing

THE PERSONAL SERVICES OF MR. GEORGE N. CONNELL FOR CONSULTATION PURPOSES IN MATTERS PERTAINING TO HOME DECORATING AND FURNISHING CAN BE ARRANGED BY APPOINTMENT

# PRE-INVENTORY SALE



Starts Friday, December 26th at 2 P. M.

All small lots of merchandise must be sold out. This merchandise will be assorted in lots at prices ranging from 1 cent up. Regardless of the price, all small quantities in every department will be put on sale. If you have not attended an inventory sale of ours, by all means prepare and be one of the first to get in the store when sale opens. We are preparing for the new opening in the extension of the building now occupied by us, as soon as properly modernized.

## NEW ADDITION

The extension will be used for new departments, and the need of more space for old departments. Our business has increased so rapidly that we must have more room.

WE ARE COMPLETELY  
SOLD OUT OF ALL

PATHE  
MODELS

AND CAN ONLY TAKE  
YOUR ORDER

This Week

FOR

Delivery

IN

January



Buy a  
Pathé  
Phonograph  
for Xmas!

No needles to buy —  
No needles to change

*Pathé*  
MADE IN FRANCE  
COSTS NO MORE  
THAN THE ORDINARY  
PHONOGRAPH

"AVOID TROUBLE BY HAVING YOUR INSURANCE  
WRITTEN BY MEN WHO KNOW HOW"



1919  
—  
1920



*Resolved*

--that to show our appreciation of your  
friendship and patronage, we will strive  
harder than ever to merit it during  
1920, and, in pledging ourselves to this  
endeavor, we wish you much Happiness  
and Prosperity

H. G. HOFFMAN, General Agent  
J. M. HOFFMAN, Manager  
R. L. COLEMAN, Special Agent  
ALPHA ENOCH, Cashier  
MARY McDONALD, Cashier

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Mt. Sterling, Kentucky  
December 22nd, Nineteen-Nineteen

# CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES

## Now on Display

My stock is now complete and I urge you to call early and inspect my large line of beautiful Holiday Gifts while my stocks are unbroken.

## Here You Will Find

French Ivory Sets and Single Pieces  
Manicure Sets  
New Books of all kinds  
Music Rolls  
Ladies' and Gents' Pocket Books  
Fountain Pens  
Initial Stationery and Cards  
Holiday Stationery  
Domestic and Imported Perfumes and  
Toilet Articles

Merschaum and Briar Gold Mounted  
Pipes  
Cigars in Christmas Packages  
Shaving Sets  
First Aid Sets  
Gents' Military and Traveling Sets  
Christmas Cards  
Letters and Seals  
Blocks' Candies in Holiday Packages

and other suitable presents for old and young too numerous to mention, at

## Duerson's Drug Store

MT. STERLING, KY.

### PERSONALS

R. L. Coleman has returned from a business trip to Ashland.

J. D. Dicken, of Bethel, was in the city Monday on business.

Miss Elizabeth Guthrie is at home from Georgetown College for the week.

William Hussey, of Winchester, spent the week-end with friends here.

Miss Margaret Frost, of Lancaster, is the guest of Miss Susette Johnson.

Leo Schlegel, of Detroit, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Schlegel.

Mrs. Albert Hoffman has gone to Florida to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Charles Anderson and Mrs. R. M. Jones were shopping in Lexington Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Seobee left a few days ago for Jacksonville, Fla., to spend the winter.

Thomas Tonkin, of Frankfort, has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Tonkin.

Mrs. Charles B. Duerson and children have returned from a visit to relatives in Lexington.

Franklin Reynolds, of Massamitton Academy, Woodstock, Va., is here to spend his vacation.

Miss Edna Berkele leaves on Wednesday for her home in Lancaster to spend the holidays.

Mr. M. A. Denton, of Hillsboro, was in the city Sunday and Monday visiting his sister, Mrs. J. S. Ragan.

Mrs. Isa W. Reed will spend the holidays at Halls, Tenn., with her daughter, Martha Frances Reed.

Miss Bernice Holley, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holley.

Thompson Guthrie is at home from State University for Christmas week.

Mrs. Charles A. Lindsay has returned from a few days' stay in Louisville.

Chandler Fizer will leave Friday for a visit to friends in Buffalo, New York.

Samuel Greene, of Louisville, is here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Greene.

Miss Kathleen Poyntz, of Richmond, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. F. Reynolds.

Mrs. Fulton Greene will leave this week for Savannah, Ga., to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. H. Pryor.

Mrs. Charles O'Brien, of Hot Springs, Ark., is the guest of Mrs. J. L. White and Miss Hattie Owings.

John Ricketts, of Bellevue, Mo., is here to spend the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Ricketts.

Carl Boyd, of Millersburg Military Institute, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Boyd.

Misses Alta Hiatt and Ha See will leave today to spend the Xmas vacation at Miss Hiatt's home at Newcastle, Ind.

Burrell Bourne, who attends school at Bedford, Va., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bourne.

Mrs. J. Carroll Hamilton and her daughters, Misses Sara Frances and Lela Bush Hamilton, were in Lexington Saturday.

Miss Louise Barnes, of Maryland College, Lutherville, Md., is here to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Barnes.

Alee G. Chiles, who is a student at Culver Military Academy, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chiles.

Miss Stella Stephens, of Paris, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stephens, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gatewood and Mrs. Clifton Prewitt are in Lexington today.

D. J. Hutchings, of Lexington, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Tipton Wilson.

Tom Henry William, of Ashland, is the guest of his father, John W. William.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mathias, of Carlisle, will spend Christmas with Mrs. P. McNamara and family.

Miss Lucy Smith will leave this week for St. Petersburg, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter.

George Yeaman, of K. M. I., is spending his vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. V. P. Yeaman.

Prof. and Mrs. Henry L. Jones, of Pineville, are guests of Mr. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Jones.

John Darsie, of Bingham Heights School, is spending the holidays with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Clyde Darsie.

Miss Mary Beall, of Owensboro, arrived Sunday and will spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hedden, Jr.

Misses Irene McNamara, Katherine Conroy and Ruth Kelley are at home from State University to spend the holidays.

Mrs. J. Carroll Hamilton and her daughters, Misses Sara Frances and Lela Bush Hamilton, were in Lexington Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wood are spending Christmas in Cincinnati with Mrs. Wood's mother, Mrs. Thomas M. Greene.

Miss Elizabeth Boyd, of Randolph-Macon Women's College, Lynchburg, Va., is here to spend Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyd.

William Daniel, of Centre College, Danville, is here to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. A. L. Laughlin, at the Baumont Hotel.

Mrs. S. E. Spratt is in Jessamine county, having been called there on account of the illness and death of her father, Mr. Campbell Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wood and Miss Marcella Chiles have returned from Atlanta, where they were guests of Mr. Wood's daughter, Mrs. W. S. Saunders.

Sergeant Roland D. Henry, who has been stationed at Camp Sherman since his return to the States, has received his discharge and has returned to his home here. Sergeant Henry is receiving a warm welcome from many friends.

Dr. and Mrs. M. V. P. Yeaman and George Yeaman will spend the holidays with relatives in Henderson county.

Miss Emma Cooper has arrived home from National Park Seminary, Washington, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clay Cooper.

Mrs. Emily Beall, who has been in Missouri for several weeks, will spend Christmas holidays with her cousin, Mrs. Mary J. Moore at Independence, Mo.

Miss Frances Kennedy, of Randolph-Macon Women's College, at Lynchburg, Va., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kennedy.

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Steeps and Mrs. A. B. White, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Moore, of Paris, left today for Florida to spend the remainder of the winter.

Miss Sara Frances Hamilton, of Margaret College, Versailles, and George Hamilton, of Culver Military Academy, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hamilton.

Chiles B. VanAntwerp is here from Ann Arbor, where he is a student at the University of Michigan, to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Howard VanAntwerp.

Misses Margaret Ramsey, Margaret Turley, Mary Lawless Gatewood and Mildred Gatewood will arrive from Danville tomorrow to spend the holidays with their parents in this city.

Misses Elizabeth VanMeter, of Winchester, and Jane Gorham, of Lexington, and Dick Prewitt, of Winchester, will be guests of Miss Sara Frances Hamilton and George Hamilton for the Saltans dance.

Miss Mary Coons is at home from Transylvania College to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Coons. Miss Coons leaves for Des Moines, Iowa, December 31 to attend the Student Volunteer Convention, which is held, once in one's college career. She goes to represent the Volunteer Band of Transylvania College, of which she is a member. Mr. Burton Prewitt, of this place, also goes to represent the Y. M. C. A. of State College.

### SOCIAL EVENTS

#### For Mrs. Owings

Mrs. Josh Owings entertained a number of friends at bridge last week at her home on Samuels avenue in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jack Owings. The rooms were decorated with red roses and carnations, and refreshments were served. Mrs. Owings' guests included Mrs. C. H. Gatewood, Miss Kathleen Gager, of Chattanooga; Miss Susette Johason, Mrs. John Speer, Miss Hattie Owings, Mrs. H. G. Hoffman; Mrs. Pierce Winn, Mrs. John Winn, Mrs. J. Will Clay, Mrs. W. H. Strossman, Mrs. A. G. Prewitt, Mrs. W. B. White, Mrs. C. D. Grubbs, Mrs. Charles B. Duerson, Miss Elizabeth Apperson, Mrs. William S. Lloyd, Mrs. J. Oldham Greene, Miss Mary E. Turner, Mrs. Ben R. Turner, Mrs. W. P. Huntington, Mrs. Clifton Prewitt, Mrs. Percy D. Bryan, Mrs. John Stofer, Mrs. Lawless Gatewood, Mrs. Anderson Bogie, Mrs. C. W. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. John W. Burbridge, Miss Bessie Lane, Miss Sara Calk and Mrs. Henry Reid.

The Saltans Club will entertain with a dance Monday evening at Trimble's Hall. A number of out-of-town guests will be in attendance, and the event is being looked forward to with much pleasure by the young society set.

#### Watch Party

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyd have issued invitations to a watch party on the evening of December 31, at "Fairfield," their lovely country place.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Bogie will entertain at dinner Tuesday evening at their home in the country in honor of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Bogie.

## Normal Income—Excess Profit

### Capital Stock Tax Returns

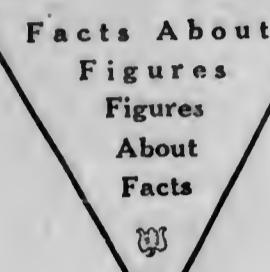
#### Correctly Prepared

If you have an important legal case you do not employ the cheapest lawyer

OR

should you when making up your income tax returns depend upon "just a book-keeper. If your book-keeper could make up your income tax returns properly he would probably be an accountant.

Any bank or representative business man in Lexington will tell you of our work.



## Federal Income Tax Bureau

LEXINGTON, KY.

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Baumont Hotel

### NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF BARNER COAL COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that the

### CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

SUITS OR OVERCOATS

(Hart, Schaffner & Marx)

HATS (Stetson)

CAPS

BATH ROBES

TRUNKS

SUIT CASES

MEN'S HOSE

LADIES' HOSE

CHILDREN'S HOSE

MUFFLERS

NECKTIES

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS

LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS

INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS

SCARF PINS

CUFF LINKS

UMBRELLAS

CANES

SWEATERS

PAJAMAS

COLLAR BAGS

TOILET SETS

HOUSE SLIPPERS

LEATHERETTE COATS

BOYS' SUITS

SHOES (Stacy Adams and Walk-

Over)

UNDERWEAR

Every gift purchased at our store

will be packed in individual Xmas boxes.

R. E. PUNCH & CO.

## Mt. Sterling Laundry

### UNDER THE

### NEW MANAGEMENT

Is here to do all the business

### WE WILL GIVE YOU THE BEST SERVICE OR WILL

KNOW WHY!

Our Prices are Standard

WE BELIEVE ALL THINGS EQUAL IN SPEND-

ING OUR MONEY AT HOME, WHERE IT IS WITHIN

A CIRCLE AND ALL RECEIVE BENEFITS.

TO LAUNDRY IS OUR BUSINESS

### NOW THAT THE COWS HAVE COME HOME

We are giving our entire attention to

### FEEDS

Our many years' of observation as well as experience with Feeds and the Feeding might be worth something to you.

Come in and tell us your troubles.

**I. F. TABB**  
MT. STERLING, -- KENTUCKY



### THE GIFT THAT CHEERS

Choose any gift—the costliest gold and silver, diamonds, pearls, oriental rugs—pay any price you wish—I'll bank a cluster of my fresh, sweet-smelling, cheerful, friendly flowers as the most acceptable gift of all.

There are really, after all, only two kinds of Christmas gifts; flowers and the other kind. The most cheer for the least money—that's the message the flower brings to you—Christmas shopper. A brilliant, flashing Poinsettia, or these wonderful, exquisite orchids—they all carry the message, your message, to your friend just as you would have it go—without any misinterpretation.

#### ORDER NOW

Deliveries made anytime, anywhere you like

**L. A. Fennell, Florist**  
LEXINGTON, KY.

MRS. MARY C. AYRES, Local Agent

#### AN IDEAL XMAS PRESENT

From every section of the United States this December comes word from the bankers announcing that depositors are not drawing out their surplus funds for the purpose of making Christmas presents to the extent that has prevailed in former years.

Bankers in all of the financial centers agree that this may be at-

tributed to the lessons that have been taught by the war and the conditions arising from it. The United States Treasury Department is in a measure, probably more than any other agency responsible for this.

When the Liberty Loan campaign was on the Treasury Department urged the people in all classes to buy these bonds. The purchase of them was necessary for the preser-

vation of the government. Millions of persons who had never owned a government bond bought because they were patriotic.

Many of these purchasers bought on the installment plan, and when they buckled down and made the final payment they found they were in possession of dollars that they would never have had had they not learned lessons in saving and economy that they never thought of when they made the investment. And every time that an interest day rolled around and they received their dividends, they thought better of what they had done.

Then millions began buying Treasury Savings Certificates and they added to their holding of Liberty Bonds when some one less fortunate than they were forced to let go of their bonds and sell them at a sacrifice.

This Christmas there are going to be many presents made in every State in the Union that will be issued by Uncle Sam. These Treasury Savings Certificates in denominations of \$1,000 and \$100 and Savings Stamps in \$5.00 denominations, and the Thrift Stamps in the denomination of 25 cents covers so wide a range that every class may take advantage. A present of these securities are such that will bring joy at the time it is received, and will increase in value every day.

In any event, the Republican bosses of Congress have made a separate peace with the pro-Germans.

Mrs. Greene's Famous Home-made Candy on sale at Land & Price's.

**It Pays You To Ship  
FURS  
TO SABEL**

64 years' Record of Honest Dealing.  
No commissions to pay. Write today  
for free shipping tags & top price list.  
**M. SABEL & SONS Inc., Dept. S, Louisville, Ky.**  
The South's largest and oldest fur, hide and wool house

# MAKE HER HAPPY CHRISTMAS

## TAKE HOME AN ORDER FOR A NASH

Put it in Her Stocking Christmas Eve—and—"Oh Boy, Ain't It a Grand and Glorious Feelin'"



**Nash**  
—Perfected—  
VALVE-IN-HEAD MOTORS



**THE  
NASH  
SIX**

Powerful and economical  
it is also unusually quiet  
COMPARE IT AND BE CONVINCED

**Ragan-Gay Motor Co.**

"The Home of Real Automobiles"

#### KEEP WAR RISK INSURANCE

It is regrettable that so many former service men are not keeping up their government life insurance issued through the Bureau of War Risk Insurance in Washington. The fact seems to be due largely to widespread confusion and lack of information as to the right of former service men to permanent government life insurance, and the process by which this insurance may be retained.

The demobilization of our armed forces was so rapid and was attended by such uncertainty on the part of service men as to future civil occupations and permanent places of abode that it was not surprising that many of the men gave little thought to the matter of insurance. Others doubtless thought the original term insurance (War-time Insurance) ceased when they were demobilized and did not know it might be converted into any one of the several forms of permanent government life insurance (converted insurance). Still others, immediately upon their return to civil life, felt financially unable to continue the insurance. They should now take advantage of the liberal provisions for reinstatement.

The government is determined that no former service man shall lose his right to government insurance thru lack of knowledge of conditions. To this end the press, the pulpit, bankers, physicians and other professional men, and the great volunteer agencies of social welfare like the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A., the Knights of Columbus, the Y. M. H. A., the Salvation Army, the War Camp Community Service, the Boy Scouts, and many others are now co-operating with the Bureau of War Risk Insurance in an educational campaign designed to reach the former service men, wherever located, and tell them the government is now committed to the policy of permanent life insurance for its soldiers, sailors and marines.

ance), if it has lapsed, may be easily reinstated within eighteen months from the date of discharge, by stat-

ing in the application that the applicant is in as good health as at date of discharge, and by the payment of only two months' premiums on the amount of insurance to be reinstated. And this term insurance (War-time Insurance), may be converted into one of several forms of government policies.

Read Advocate Classified ads.

The President demonstrated in a hurry that he is still strong enough to put the senatorial partisans in a hole.

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Bourbon Poultry Remedy  
down a sick's window  
A few drops in the  
drinking water cures  
diarrhoea, cholera and other chick  
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WE DOUBT OUR ABILITY TO SERVE ALL OUR  
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Brown Proctor Building  
Winchester, Ky.

## Alterations & Repairing

### LADIES' AND GENTS' GARMENTS

AT  
Stockton's Electric Dry Cleaning Company  
PHONE 225  
MT. STERLING, KENTUCKY

# Christmas Specials

CANDY IS SCARCE THIS XMAS AS YOU KNOW. BUY EARLY, SAVE MONEY AND TIME, AVOID THE RUSH. Pure Sugar Candy 30c, 35c and 40c per pound. Chocolate and Cream Mixed Candy 40c to 50c per pound. Fancy Penny Candy. Special prices to merchants and school teachers.

New mixed nuts 40c per pound our own mixture. Mixed nuts choice 35c per pound. Thin shell pecans, California soft shell English walnuts, Brazil almonds, filberts Italian chestnuts. Shelled English walnuts, shelled cream nuts, new shelled Valencia almonds \$1.00 per pound.

ginger, orange and lemon peel, citron. Something new—crystalized grape fruit for cakes. Crystalized cherries in bulk \$1.00 per pound. Crystalized pineapple \$1.00 per pound. Crystalized

Car load apples, barrels or boxes—Baldwin apples, Roman beauty, Northern spy, Hubbardson, None such, Wine saps. Get your prices on barrel lots. Fancy box apples, Snookum and other brands, \$4.00 to \$5.00 per box. See our stock. Buy by the box and save money.

Fancy crisp Malaga and Emperor grapes

Choke yellow ripe bananas

Choice Sun Kist Lemons

Fancy Florida Grape Fruit

Fancy Sweet Florida and California Sunkist Oranges

Get our prices on box or one-half box oranges and grape fruit, cheap price on box lots. Extra

Fancy Bunch and Layer Raisins, imported Malaga and California's, cheaper and better than candy.

Fresh Cocoanuts 15c and 20c each and are very scarce. Fresh new Dates and Heintz Seedless Mince Meat and Plum Puddings. Try one pound of Atomer's Best Mince Meat in your fruit cake, all your cake requires to give it the flavor. Ask me why. Headquarters for black cake material of all kinds.

## GROCERY SPECIALS

### CANNED GOODS

Chum Salmon, can	20c	Small 2-lb. Can Beans	15c
Pink Salmon, can	25c	Campbell's and Van Camp's Soups	12c
Medium Red Salmon, can	30c	New Pick Peas 18c, 20c, 25c, 35c	50c, 90c, \$1.50 per dozen
Fancy Red Salmon, can	35c	White Asparagus, can, 35c, 45c	25c, 30c, 40c, 50c per dozen
Small Milk, 3 cans	25c	Mountain Sorgham, barrel, gallon	\$1.25
Navy Beans, per pound	12c	Brer Rabbit New Orleans Molasses	30c, 35c and 45c per pound.
Colored Beans, per pound	10c	Quart cans	40c
Flake and Cracked Hominy, per pound	7½c	Half-gallon	75c
Canned Corn	15c and 20c	Gallon	\$1.50
Canned Tomatoes	12c and 20c	Red and Blue Karo, gallon	\$1.00 and \$1.10
Canned Peaches	25c, 40 and 50c	Maple Flavor Pernambuc Syrup	15c, 60c, \$1.20
Pineapple, per can, 25c and 50c		Buck Wheat and Pan Cake Flour, all kinds	
Very scarce, buy quick		New Bacon, 25c and 30c lb	
Canned Apricots	35c and 50c		
White and Red Cherries	35c, 40c and 50c		
Large Can String Beans	25c		

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**WHEN IN LEXINGTON**  
TRY OUR LUNCHEONETTE

We Specialize in Home-Made Candy, Individual Ices and Cakes Our Catering Department is in Capable Hands and We Guarantee Satisfaction.

**MCGURK & O'BRIAN**

### A CHRISTMAS RESOLUTION

He hadn't been out of his uniform long enough to get used to the way his legs felt without the old "puttees" on them. But he had seen enough and been home and looked around long enough to have thought out some things for himself. Then, too, Christmas had come, and gone, and he had found that what was left over from his army pay hadn't stretched far enough to buy a good many things he had wanted to buy when he saw the holly, the mistletoe and the green and red paper wreaths in the windows of the old town.

John Holloway was in a mood to make resolves and give the reasons for said resolves that afternoon. He and some of the "old gang" had been lounging in the warm and brightly lighted drug store for an hour when he said:

"You know over in France I found out that nearly every little old gardener and farmer and every shoe cobbler and carpenter had a lot of his 'jack' soaked away in government bonds! It is a fact. I was never more surprised in my life than when I found out that the old women in the house where I was billeted had been saving money all those years and sticking it away a handful of francs at a time, in bonds to gosh government bonds."

"Why you know that before we got into the war if anybody had told me about a government bond I would have thought they were talking about the bond that the judge says must be sighted if you don't want to get yourself slung into jail.

Of course we heard a lot about bonds when the "Libertys" came along, but even then I had it fig-

### Testimony of a Kentucky Woman

Louisville, Ky.—"Some time ago I was in a badly run-down condition. I had no energy whatever, was nervous and lost my appetite. I knew I was in need of a tonic and decided to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which had been recommended very highly. The first bottle helped me so much that I kept on with it until I had taken through bottle when I was completely restored to health. I certainly recommend Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery most highly to all persons in need of a tonic and builder."—MRS. ANNA MURPHY, 1608 Prentiss St.

### Stomach Trouble

Indigestion—Nervous—Sleepless

West Frankfort, Ky.—"For many years I suffered with stomach trouble; my food would not digest, it would sour on my stomach and I would torment, cause me to be distressed and strained until I would almost bent double with pain. I was extremely nervous, could not eat or sleep and was nearing a physical wreck when I was advised to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It soon relieved me of my stomach trouble and built me up in health and strength. 'Golden Medical Discovery' did wonders for me and I am glad to give it a recommend."—MRS. MARIA E. COX, 632 Kentucky Ave.

There is but one way to have good health, and that is to put and keep your stomach in good order. This is easy to do if you take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a wonderful tonic, blood purifier, and is safe to take, for it is made of root and herbs. Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y., stands behind this standard medicine, and it is good to know that so distinguished a physician is proud to have his name identified with it.

ured that the man who had the big money was the one they were for.

"You see I went across before the bond drives got to scraping down and getting the high and the middle and the low."

"But that was one swell idea the Frenchies had, and they had it first by a big majority. It works out mighty well and I feel pretty sure that the 'Froggies' didn't fight any poorer because they knew that they and their families had an absolute financial stake in that 'la belle France' they were always talking about."

"What's the idea anyway?" asked one of the half interested group. "Do you intend to go back over there and work for francs instead of dollars and stick said francs into French bonds?"

"For why should I do that?" argued ex-sorporal Holloway. "Have we not finally got the same advantage over here, and in a darn sight better country than France ever was or ever will be? I'll say we have. And boy, with a little old job and a little old luck I will be ridin' on the world next Christmas. I'm going to save me some money and to keep it from slipping through these fingers of mine I'm certainly going to take a leaf out of the Frenchman's book."

"Oh, all right, but what is the plan?" asked another idler, who was willing to go most anywhere but home.

"Why, I gets me a few dollars and buy me a 'beaucoup' War Savings Stamp," said Corporal Holloway. "I stacks away said W. S. S. for which I pay four bucks and some odd cents and I keep stacking them away out of the old pay envelope and come five years from now I have me a roll, interest having piled up on each and every buck that I put in there."

"It would beat the savings bank interest, at that," agreed one of the listeners.

"Forty said ways from the jack," went on Holloway. "Why it's just like shooting fish. Now I don't know anything about oil stocks or rubber plantations, or a patent device to extract butter fat from a Burbank squash, or any of the rest of these games that are fairly plentiful right about now, but I do know that the old government of the old U. S. A. has been paying off regularly away back yonder. Wherefore and therefore it is a safe bet that it is going right along on the old 100 cents on the dollar basis.

"The Frenchies put the idea into my head, I guess, but our own little old W. S. S. game back here beats it. It don't take much to get into it, either you can buy a stack of chips with four iron men and a few odd cents. Then you are in and you are not going to run up against any ace fulls with it, either. It may not be as fast as trench poker, either way, or as rapid as that 'nigger golf' we used to play under a mired

down track at the side of the road. But it is not 'forbid by regulations' and you surely will get somewhere with it."

"I've got my mind all made up to enlist in one of these War Savings Societies," he went on, "and I here and now make my biggest New Year resolve. You hear me?"

And he got up, gave a hitch at where the old O. D. belt used to be, and rambled on to get a pocket full of W. S. S. circulars and hunt up a place to "enlist."

### WHAT ARE THEY THINKING OF?

No one familiar with the facts will tax the Washington Post with undue friendliness to the present national administration. When, therefore, this paper proponns a pertinent question to the Republican Congress, it is likely to be heard with respect even if the answer is not immediate and satisfactory.

"One of the first duties of Congress is to put teeth into the laws which will enable the executive to grasp and throttle radicalism, expel or imprison anarchists, exterminate preachers of violence, exclude dangerous aliens and generally to clean America's house," says the Post.

"What is Congress thinking of, that it should delay in this matter?" the paper asks. Then the editorial indicates one or both of the causes in its next question. "Is it lacking in individual or committee initiative or courage?"

Attorney General Palmer has repeatedly pointed out to the Republican leaders of Congress that additional legislation is needed to authorize his department to deal with radicals and "reds." When once the task has been properly sanctioned by law there remains the need of money to enforce the statutes. Congress has refused both the authority and the funds.

President Wilson gave the Republican Senators a convincing proof that he was quite well enough to manage the executive affairs of the government. It is the Senate that seems to be unable to function. Let "Doctor" Moses decide whether it is illness or incompetence that afflicts his Republican associates.

### HANDS, ARMS, LIMBS ASLEEP

And Was Run-Down, Weak and Nervous, Says Florida Lady.

Five Bottles of Cardui Made Her Well.

Kathleen, Fla.—Mrs. Dallas Prince, of this place, says: "After the birth of my last child... I got very much run-down and weakened, so much that I could hardly do anything at all. I was so awfully nervous that I could scarcely endure the least noise. My condition was getting worse all the time..."

I knew I must have some relief or I would soon be in the bed and in a serious condition for I felt so badly and was so nervous and weak I could hardly live. My husband asked Dr. —about my taking Cardui. He said, "It's a good medicine, and good for that trouble," so he got me 5 bottles... After about the second bottle I felt greatly improved... before taking it my limbs and hands and arms would go to sleep. After taking it, however, this poor circulation disappeared. My strength came back to me and I was soon on the road to health. After the use of about 5 bottles, I could do all my house-work and attend to my six children besides."

You can feel safe in giving Cardui a thorough trial for your troubles. It contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs, but is composed of mild, vegetable, medicinal ingredients with no bad after-effects. Thousands of women have voluntarily written, telling of the good Cardui has done them. It should help you, too. Try it.



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FOOT SPECIALIST**



### Milk Gives It Rich Flavor

Made with milk, there's a rich, creamy flavor about Crusader Milk Bread that makes it truly appetizing and relishing.

It is light in crumb, the crust is baked to a crisp, nutty brown—every slice toothsome, nutritious and satisfying.

### Crusader Milk Bread

LARGE AND SMALL LOAVES

is uniformly good, day in and day out, the whole year round. Young children wax strong on Crusader Milk Bread, because they eat it with a vim and relish—every bite to the last morsel. Forsake by better grocers. Order a loaf today.

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We desire to say it will be best for the customer to

### BUY EARLY

No duplicates can be had and all goods with quality are hard to get

**JOHN W. JONES**

### Baby Gifts

A present which the recipient will treasure when grown to manhood and womanhood. Porridge Bowls and Spoons.

Bib Holders and Rings.

Beauty Pins and Cups. and numerous other articles from which to make your selection.

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Our Bank is SMALL enough to WANT your patronage and is BIG enough to PROTECT your interests. Every facility in up-to-date banking. Let this Bank be your Bank.

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All the New Shades in Silks and Chiffons for Evening Dresses—Our Line of fancy trimmings cannot be surpassed.

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Dainty Garments such as Waists, Evening Gowns, Dresses, etc., cleaned by the most modern and sanitary methods. Parcel Post paid one way.

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FOR SALE—Good 3-burner coal oil cook stove. Phone 638-J-3.

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XMAS Candies, 30c, 35c, 40c, 50c, pound; sweet Florida and California Oranges, 25 to 50c dozen; Black Cake Materials of all kinds; Furniture, Fancy Imported Baskets, Old Country Hams, Country Sauage and Pork, Oysters, Celery, Lettuce, Cauliflower, Figs, Dates, Nuts, Crystallized Fruits, Plum Puddings and Mince Meat. Sanitary Meat Co., Phone 421. Please order early.

ANY ONE desiring Christmas presents should call at Roberts & Martin's, and see something new in the art line, made by Miss Dorothy Tyler. 45-2t

CEMETERY MEMORIALS of the highest class workmanship and material are manufactured and set in your cemetery by the Lexington Granite Company, 771 W. Main St., Lexington, Ky., Stanley Brown, local agent.

WHY NOT MAKE SOMEBODY happy by giving them a subscription of the Advocate? If Mrs. Hatlie Howell will present this ad at the Tabb Wednesday night she will be admitted free.

FOR SALE—One Durco sow and ten pigs. One sow and eight pigs. L. E. Griggs.

MRS. GREENE'S Famous Home-Made Candy on sale at Land & Priest's. Leave your orders for Xmas now.

"CANT SAG" GATES are as good as they look. McCormick Lumber Co. 24-3t

FOR RENT—Desirable residence, \$25 per month. N. H. Trimble.

FOR SALE—One Ford Roadster in good condition. H. B. Ringo.

TRADE at The Fair, where your dollar will go the farthest. Everything sold at bargain prices. Have some toys out. All Christmas goods now on display.

FOR SALE—Pianos, Player Pianos, Organs and Music Rolls. Old standard makes only. Also good slightly used players and pianos at bargain prices. Tuning and repairing. Phone or write for prices. No. 2 Lexington avenue. Phone 651. Winchester, Ky.

THE LATEST creation in lamps—the tipless white Mazda. The Edison is always in the lead, nothing better. More light for less money. Kentucky Utilities Co.

Just received a beautiful line of new wall papers and draperies. Come and see them. Prices reasonable.—M. R. Hainline.

FOR SALE—Pony trap and harness. Apply at Mt. Sterling Grocery Co., Phone 447. 24-1f

WHEN IN OUR CITY, visit the busy place for new and used furniture, rugs, stoves, or anything you need in our line.—Fayette Furniture Co., 231-233 N. Limestone.

Now is the time to lay in your coal for the winter. We have a supply of famous Yellow Jacket Coal. Indian Creek Coal and Feed Company.

Sickness, Accident, Permanent Total Disability, Old Age, Death. ALL of these MANY misfortunes CAN happen to you; SOME of them MAY happen to you; ONE of them, at least, WILL happen to you. The Pacific Mutual Multiple Protection Policy covers 'em all. "Talk with Hoffman."

OXY-ACETYLENE WELDING—We repair anything in metal. Try us when others fail. Best equipped shop in the South. Phone 171. Lexington Engine and Boiler Works.

Vacuum Cleaners that we sell you are guaranteed. Ask for a free trial. W. A. SUTTON & SON.

MR. FARMER—Will pay you highest market prices at all times for your Poultry, Eggs, Hides, Furs, Brass, Copper, Iron and Rags. We also buy junk automobiles. Thos. Heinrich & Son, South Queen street, Phone 819. We also buy and sell all kinds of second-hand stoves.

SUBSCRIBE for The Advocate today. It is given up to be the best paper in Kentucky East of Lexington. If Miss Ada Henry will present this at the Tabb she will be admitted free Wednesday night.

## For Sale—Miscellaneous

SEND FOR Our New Farm List—We sell many farms in Ohio to Eastern Kentucky men. Our list of 250 farms in Ohio, Butler, Warren, Hamilton and Clermont counties, Ohio, and around Aurora, Ind. (Fine loose leaf tobacco market). We have fine blue grass, alfalfa, white burley, corn, clover and wheat land, and the prices of this land will suit you. Here are a few good ones to pick from:

100-a; Franklin, O.; all black land; first-class bldgs.; see it at \$210 per acre.

100-a; Lebanon, O.; 40 acres fine bottom; 40 acres blue grass; balance good upland. First-class improvements, \$25,000.00.

100-a; Lebanon, O.; good bldgs.; level land; 25 acres wheat, 25 acres clover. See it at \$12,500.00.

230-a; 2 sets bldgs.; 100 acres bottom land. Fine blue grass pasture; a stock farm, \$125-a.

100-a; level upland; good bldgs.; dairy and grain farm at \$11,000.00.

87-a; with 40-a bottom land; 40-a blue grass; good bldgs.; on auto road; \$10,000.00.

257-a; Butler Co., O.; alfalfa farm. See it at \$90 per acre.

154-a; Aurora, Ind.; first class bldgs.; white burley and grass land at \$14,000.00.

80-e; Aurora, Ind.; good bldgs.; level and rolling land; tobacco, grain and alfalfa land; one mile to Big 4 Railroad, \$6,000.00.

111-a; Aurora, Ind.; all in grass at \$6,000 an acre.

FRANK R. CROWE,

216 Johnston Bldg.

Cincinnati, O.—Fountain Square Fifth and Walnut (Easy to find)

ANYBODY will tell you that we have the best paper in this section, and if Mrs. James Kennedy will present this ad at the Tabb Wednesday night she will be admitted free.

Best for pies and cakes—"Capital Flour"—the kind the best cooks use.

Mt. Sterling Restaurant—"It's handy when you're hungry." Steaks, Chops, etc., cooked as you like them and served in a pleasing way. Short Orders at all hours. Maysville St.

Let the Advocate print your sale bills—it will pay you.

GIVE YOUR JOB PRINTING to The Advocate. Only first-class work done here. If D. J. Prewitt will present this ad he will be given a \$5.00 credit on U. S. Tires at the Ragan-Gay Motor Co.

WANTED—Your orders for flowers. I have the agency for Fennell, the Lexington florist, and will be glad to fill your orders. Phone 74 or 235. Mrs. Mary C. Ayres.

TRY OUR WANT ADS—They pay big. If French Anderson will present this ad at the Ragan-Gay Motor Co. he will be given a \$5.00 credit on U. S. Tires.

TO BE SURE trade with J. R. Lyons. See his John Deere and Mitchell Wagons, Post Buggies, Shop-made Harness, Leather Traces and the Range Eternal Stoves.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A Buick Roadster for a Ford touring car. Dillard Douglas. 24-1f

Dry Cleaning, Pressing, Repairing; W. P. Gordon. Tell the phone 343.

W. P. Gordon—Reliable Dry Cleaner.

McDougall Kitchen Cabinets save many steps.—W. A. Sutton & Son.

Let me do your moving and haul your freight. Phone 703—Clell Cockrell.

NEW MACHINE—I have installed a machine with which to letter old and new work in cemetery. Let me have your orders.—S. M. Jackson.

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Dry Cleaning—Gordon. Phone 343.

## For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Small farm of 22 acres in southeastern part of this county. Rough house, about 5 acres to young orchard, place well fenced with woven wire; other good improvements. Will sell cheap as I cannot spare the time to look after it. At my residence: One strong spring wagon, one god top buggy, one kitchen stove for coal or wood, one gas heater to set in fire place, two gas coils. Apply to A. J. Humphries, Florist, Holt ave. 26-2t

For a dandy good meal, go to the Delicious Cafe.

FOR SALE—A lot of boxing sheeting and heavy building timbers. See N. H. Trimble. (tf)

BRING Your Rubber Boots and Shoes and have them repaired and made as good as new by the vulcanizing process. Do this now and have them ready for the snows. Mt. Sterling Vulcanizing Co., 53 Bank street. (21-4t)

Oysters, any style, at the Delicious Cafe.

SALES CONDUCTED ANYWHERE—Experience has made my business a success. Auctioneer John W. Bain corner 156 W. Short St., Lexington, Ky., phone 874. I do not practice on your property at your expense. I get you more money than you expect. 31-1y

Fine Gloves at Walsh's.

EVERYBODY IN TOWN watches this page. Let us have your classified ads. They bring results, and if Miss Susie Burroughs will present this ad at the box office she will be admitted free Wednesday night.

L. A. FENNELL, The Florist, Lexington, Ky. Funeral designs, bridal bouquets and flowers for all occasions. Your orders given our most careful attention. Call Mrs. Mary Coleman Ayres, local agent, at 235.

Typewriters and Supplies

ALL MAKES REPAIRED—Rebuilt machines for sale. Distributors for L. C. Smith & Bros., and Corona typewriters, also Wales Adding Machines. Standard Typewriter Exchange, formerly Stagg Typewriter Company, Lexington, Ky. 31-1y

Corona Portable Typewriter—weight six pounds, standard keyboard. Fold it up, take it with you, typewrite anywhere. Price \$50, including carrying case. W. H. Warren, with Transylvania Printing Co., Lexington, Ky. (33-1y)

Wanted

WANTED—You to know that Mrs. Mary Coleman Ayres has the local agency for Fennell, the Lexington florist, and she will be glad to have your orders for flowers at all times.

Lost and Found

LOST—Ladies' Purse; between Wright's store and Miss Ola Rogers' office, containing about \$15.00. Mrs. Ray Moss. pd.

## For Rent

FOR RENT—Room now occupied by Gazette Publishing Company, 29 South Liberty Street. Apply to H. Clay McKeo.

FOR RENT—My modern residence on Main street, centrally located in most desirable part of the city. John W. William.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Gentlemen preferred. Mrs. James O'Connell. 24-1f

AS AN ADVERTISING Medium. The Advocate is in a class by itself. Try Us, and if J. Rice Crooks will present this at Ragan-Gay's he will be given a \$5.00 credit on U. S. Tires.

AN UP-TO-DATE BATTERY SERVICE STATION.

We have installed a modern Battery Service Station and repair and recharge all makes of Batteries at the LOWEST PRICES. A complete stock of new Batteries to fit every car is carried, and each one is absolutely fresh. Any make Batteries tested and water added free.

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STROTHIER MOTORS COMPANY

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## Real Estate

EVERYBODY WATCHES THIS Page and everybody reads this paper. If Mrs. Geo. Coleman will present this ad at the Tabb Wednesday night she will be admitted free.

FARMS FOR SALE—Good Blue Grass farms in Nicholas, Fleming, Bath, Bourbon, Fayette, Woodford, Scott and other adjoining counties. C. U. Bramblett, Broker, Lexington, Ky. (31-lyr)

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FURNITURE Cheap—J. W. Baber

Fine cigars, 25 in a box. Order yours now. Lloyd's Cafe.

Mrs. K. O. Clark offers her entire line of trimmed and untrimmed hats at greatly reduced prices.

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Only the best and freshest candy sold at the Delicious Cafe.

RADIATORS—Any make or style auto, truck or tractor twisted, smashed, sprung or frozen, repaired. Estimates furnished. Work first-class. Auto Radiator Specialists, B. Green, Prop., phone 1320Y, 223 E. Main St., Lexington, Ky. (31-1y)

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PURE BIG SANDY SORGHUM—We have just received a big stock of pure Big Sandy Sorghum. Prices right. H. B. Ringo.

Pictures framed at W. A. Sutton & Son's.

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FOR SALE—Smith Primier typewriter, good condition—a bargain. Apply at this office.

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Taxi Service, day and night with open or closed Autos. Prompt response to all calls. Telephone at office 251. Telephone at residence 754. Two new cars just added. McCarty Bros.

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## MILLION AND A HALF

Pounds Sold Over Local Breaks to Date at Good Average—Sales Adjourn Until Dec. 29

The prices for tobacco on the local market, as on all other markets, in the Burley district, are somewhat off from last week. The best grades are continuing to bring top prices, but the lower grades are declining in price from \$5 to \$10 per hundred.

The first sale of last week was held at the Robertson Monday, where 13,160 pounds sold for an average of \$60.97. The next sale was at the Farmers, where 120,295 pounds was sold, averaging \$51.41. The Whitehall held sales Tuesday and Wednesday, where 153,775 pounds sold for an average of \$42.07. Most of this was of low grade tobacco. Wednesday the Robertson sold 46,980 pounds of low grade tobacco at an average of \$36.26.

The Farmers sold Thursday 179,665 pounds at an average of \$37.99.

Some of the crops disposed of at this sale are as follows:

Hart and Willoughby, 2,870 lbs., at \$80.94; McCormick Brothers, 2,410 lbs., at \$65.40; Fred Rushford, 1,460 lbs., at \$62.32; Bigstaff and Bramble, 3,105 lbs., at \$61.16; Shields, Reynolds and Whaley, 2,400 lbs., at \$64.98.

The Whitehall sold Friday, 164,560 lbs., averaging \$40.58.

The sales to date at the Farmers House are 704,695 lbs., averaging \$45.12.

The Robertson, 170,790 lbs., averaging \$43.28.

The Whitehall, 529,100 lbs., averaging \$43.85.

The total of this season's sales to date is 1,404,585 lbs., at a general average of \$44.41.

The next sales will be held here Monday, December 29.

### TO UNDERGO OPERATION

Loring Z. Turley, of the local postoffice force, has gone to Lexington for treatment and an operation at the Good Samaritan Hospital. He was accompanied by Mrs. Turley.

The Advocate for printing.

### XMAS DAY ATTRACTION

One of the merriest musical shows of the season will appear at the Tabb Theatre, matinee and night on Thursday, December 25th, when Lemons, Orth and Coleman will head the cast of "Fads and Follies," a breezy, lyrical entertainment full of funny and clever situations, enhanced by catchy melodies and a frisky, frivolous and jazzy beauty chorus. The show travels at airplane speed. It is like whirling between two lines of pretty girls, glad in gorgeous gowns, who sing real melodies while the three leading comedians, Lemons, Orth and Coleman, jest in passing. It has no plot to hold attention, but it has music which is real, girls who can both sing and dance, humor which, though subtle and open at times to various interpretations, is on a whole, unflinchingly funny. Al Lemons, Lew Orth and Al Coleman are comedians who do not try to imitate anyone, but who stick to their own line of work and as a result produce more than half of the fun. The acts, or rather the "Fads and Follies," as it is programmed, follow each other with such rapidity that if any plot had been thoughtlessly provided, it would have been lost in the shuffle of brilliant costumes and dazzling changes. While Orth and Coleman have the main responsibility of the interpretation, they have surrounded themselves with a worth-while cast throughout, including Lillian Orth, Bessie Fox, Glenna Will, Harley Newland, Billy Murry, Edna DeSaulles, Florence Clark, Gretta Murray, Lillian Gorman, Annie Fay, Bertha Smith, Bessie Freeman and the five tip-top dancers. An unusually fine line of specialties is always characteristic of the "Fads and Follies" and makes this entertainment delightfully different. Seats can now be secured in advance for both Xmas Day performances.

### BREAKS ARM

Laura Watson, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watson, slipped and fell on the icy pavement Saturday afternoon, breaking her arm. The injured member was set and the little girl is doing nicely.

Mrs. K. O. Clarke offers her entire line of trimmed and untrimmed hats at greatly reduced prices.

## ATTRACTIVE GIRL BECOMES BRIDE

Miss Elisabeth Judy Becomes the Bride of Dudley W. Hunter

The marriage of Miss Elisabeth Judy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robinson T. Judy, took place Saturday at high noon at the home of the bride's parents on North Sycamore street, the Rev. Dr. M. V. P. Yeaman officiating. The wedding was very quiet, only the members of the immediate families and a few close friends being privileged to witness the ceremony.

The bride, who is unusually beautiful, wore her going away dress, a most becoming tailored suit of dark brown duchess, with a small turban of cloth of gold. Her flowers were an artistic arrangement of pink rose buds. Miss Judy is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Judy and is a member of an old and influential family. Since her debut she has been very popular, not only in this city, but throughout the Blue Grass. Her lovely disposition, her charm of manner, and her winning ways have endeared her to a wide circle of friends.

Mr. Hunter is a native of North Carolina and comes of a prominent Southern family. He is a tobaccocon and last year represented the J. P. Taylor Company on the local market.

He is now holding the responsible position of buyer for the same company on the Lexington market. He is well known and liked here. The young couple left immediately after the ceremony for a bridal trip to New York and Boston, returning to Lexington after January 1st, where they will have apartments at "The Britling." At the close of the tobacco season Mr. and Mrs. Hunter will go to Henderson, N. C., to make their home.

Fine cigars, 25 in a box. Order yours now. Lloyd's Cafe.

### PRODUCE MARKET

Receipts of cream the past week have not been heavy, but there has been a pronounced tendency toward lower prices on butter, due to light demand. For this reason there has been some decline in butterfat prices throughout the country.

There is still a large reserve stock of eggs in storage. Receipts of fresh eggs are very light, but high prices have curtailed consumption. There is little demand except for the finest quality. As it is late in the selling season for storage eggs, and as we are approaching the producing season on fresh, the market has shown easier tendency during the week on both fresh and storage eggs.

Poultry receipts have been lighter during the week, but there has been very little change in the price situation on the selling market. More poultry is being received in the selling centers than is being consumed promptly, and the surplus has been sent to the freezer.

Turkeys appear to be well cleaned up, and sold at a record price. The trade expects the balance of the remaining crop will be sold before January 1st.

### FARM SOLD

On Saturday at the Court House door at 2 o'clock P. M., the farm of Mrs. Bettie Armstrong, located six miles from Mt. Sterling on the Mayville pike, with tenant house and barn, and containing between 58 and 59 acres, was sold to the highest bidder, Charles B. Dale, bringing \$315 per acre. Persons wanting lands can consider this an object lesson. Lands continue to soar.

For bargains in trimmed and untrimmed hats, see Mrs. K. O. Clarke.

### CHANGE IN MANAGEMENT

Stanley O. Wood, who has edited and managed the Mt. Sterling Gazette for the past ten years, with the exception of about a year spent in the Army, retires after January 1st as directing head of the local Republican paper, and will be succeeded by his uncle, W. Hoffman Wood. The latter was for several years connected with the Gazette and managed it while his predecessor was in the Army. The offices of the paper will be moved from Bank street to the old Postoffice building. Mr. W. Hoffman Wood will continue to engage in the real estate business.

The retiring editor and his wife, after a trip to the West, will return and probably locate in Kentucky. Stanley Wood will continue to figure in shaping the policy of the Gazette, though his uncle will be the directing head.

Stanley Wood is one of Kentucky's most gifted young editors, and has many friends who will regret to learn that he has relinquished charge of the local Republican organ. His uncle is an experienced newspaper man and will maintain the high standard set by his nephew.

The linotype machine, press and folder of the Gazette have been purchased by the Sentinel-Democrat, who will publish the paper for the new lessee.

Biggest and best line of Sweaters at Walsh's.

### CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT THE LOCAL CHURCHES

A Christmas Tree for the children of the Sunday school and a White Gift service will be held at the Christian church on Wednesday evening. The Presbyterian Sunday school will have a Christmas tree Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock, followed by a party in the Parish House. The Baptist Sunday school will have a Christmas tree in the auditorium Friday evening beginning at 7 o'clock. The younger members of the Methodist Sunday school will have an entertainment Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and the older boys and girls a party in the church parlors on Thursday evening.

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### FOR SALE

As agent for W. Taylor Fitzpatrick I have his residence on Clay street, known as the Bybee place, for sale. This residence has been newly modernized and is up to date in every particular.

### S. P. GREENWADE.

Mrs. Greene's Famous Home-made Candy on sale at Land & Priest's.

### EXCHANGE PULPITS

The Rev. Clyde Darsie, of the Mt. Sterling Christian church, preached in Owingsville Sunday, exchanging pulpits with the Rev. M. C. Hart, of the Owingsville church.

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### SAILOR'S BODY BROUGHT HOME

The body of Charles W. Cummings, a sailor in the U. S. Navy, who was recently drowned near the Phillipine Islands, was brought through this city a few days ago to his old home at Rothwell, where it was interred.

Have you bought your Red Cross Christmas Seals.

### SELLS COTTAGE

The Henry W. Seineur property on North Queen street was sold through the Rogers & Corbin real estate agency to Mrs. Etta Turley for \$700 cash.

New nuts of all kinds for Xmas at Vanarsdell's.

Red Top Rubber Boots for little boys for Christmas. The Walsh Co.

## MONTGOMERY'S OLDEST CITIZEN

Dies at Home of Matt Ford in the County, Aged 104 Years—Was Remarkable Man

"Uncle" John Helton, aged 104 years, died Friday morning of the infirmities of old age, at the home of his nephew, Matt Ford, near Aaron's Run.

Mr. Helton had all his life enjoyed most remarkably good health and attributed that fact to his regular habits and active life. "Uncle John" came to this State many years ago, settling in this county and engaging in the farming and trading industry. Up until a few years ago he took an active interest in farm work and only a year or two ago raised, unassisted, a small crop of tobacco, which he sold on the local market.

Mr. Helton is survived by one sister, Mrs. Anice Anderson, of this county, and three grandsons, J. E. Helton, of Nelson county, and Floyd and Boone Helton, of Menefee county. Funeral services were held Sunday, followed by interment in the North Middletown cemetery.

### YOUNG COUPLE MARRY

T. Havens Brunner and Miss Clarke Roseberry were married at the Christian church parsonage last Wednesday by Rev. Clyde Darsie. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Brunner left for a wedding trip to Cincinnati. Mr. Brunner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brunner and is associated with his father in the shoe business. He is very popular with a wide circle of friends. His bride has been in the employ of the Cumberland Telephone Company and is a sweet and charming young girl. She recently came to this city from Nicholas county and has made many warm friends here.

Ask your neighbor who does the best laundrying and dry cleaning. Lexington Laundry. S. P. Greenwade, agent, Phone 210.

### COUNCIL SELCTS OFFICERS

At the regular meeting of the City Council last week John Cline was elected chief of the Fire Department. Clarence William clerk of the department and Dr. G. N. Cox City Physician. At the adjourned meeting, held on Wednesday night, Dr. M. V. P. Yeaman, Mrs. W. Hoffman Wood and Mrs. Thomas Heinrich were selected as the Board of Health. At this meeting the proposition to dispense with the City Jailer and make some other arrangements regarding the driver for the fire truck, etc., was passed until a later meeting. The occupation tax ordinance with several changes from last year was read and adopted, there being only five members of the council present at this meeting—Hoffman, Petry, McNeal, Bondurant and Stockton. Mr. Hoffman would not vote for the retention of the occupation tax, saying that under the present conditions he thought this tax could be abolished or at least cut fifty per cent. The statement of the financial condition of the city shows that the city finished the year with something like \$2,500 in the Treasury, the tax books for the coming year show a substantial increase and Mr. Hoffman voted his convictions.

### McCARTY ON POLICE FORCE

W. J. McCarty, of the firm of McCarty Bros., the widely known garage men, has been elected by the City Council to serve on the local police force. He will make an excellent officer.

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### BOYS RAISE TOBACCO

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\$25.00 Coats.....\$19.50

\$35.00 Coats.....\$25.00

\$40.00 Coats.....\$27.50

\$50.00 Coats.....\$32.50

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\$25.00 Dresses....	\$19.50
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## CHRISTMAS

This festal occasion has its coming and how few pause in the passing to consider its meaning. Why do the wheels of all business rest and why this joy occasion? The 25th day of December is the accepted time as the birthday of Christ. It is just the accepted time for there are many opinions as to the exact day of the birth of Christ. Historians have thoughtfully perused all pages without agreement. Prior to the 50th century there was no consensus of opinion—the 6th of January, 25th of March, and 25th of December are dates contended for by the leading scholars of that time. There came others who believed the date to be May 20th, others that believe the 19th or 20th of April was the time, and yet others that named November 17th and March 28th. However, December 25th has been accepted by all and with it is the beginning of the celebration of the event of His birth. Why keep fresh in memory the advent of the son of God? Washington was the "father of his country," and in memory of what he was we remember the 22nd of February his birthday. Now here is a man who gave His life for the greatest of gifts—eternal life. This date is near and we are preparing to enter the festal season, thinking of Him, and rejoicing that a Savior was born. Glad will the little ones be on the morning of the 25th, Christmas Day, and to be taught why, would be an imprint worth much as the days come and go. For this day we are grateful in memory, a Savior born, and we should all rejoice as did those of old when they viewed the prophetic star.

In the celebration of this joyous occasion we should be reminded of the horrible war in which this country was only recently engulfed, and give thanks to God for this glad day of "Peace on Earth." These United States are now enjoying the greatest prosperity ever known, while millions are dying from hunger in foreign lands, yet the Prince of Peace is pouring out blessing upon blessing upon the people of America. This should indeed be an occasion of genuine rejoicing and we take this opportunity in wishing "A Merry Christmas to All."



WITH "FADS AND FOLLIES" AT TABB XMAS DAY AND NIGHT

Republicans are uneasy at the calmness about the treaty. They have a burden on their shoulders and must carry it even though it galls them. The case is all the worse with them because there are no really big strong men in their number.

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Finest line of oranges and bananas for Xmas at Vanarsdell's.

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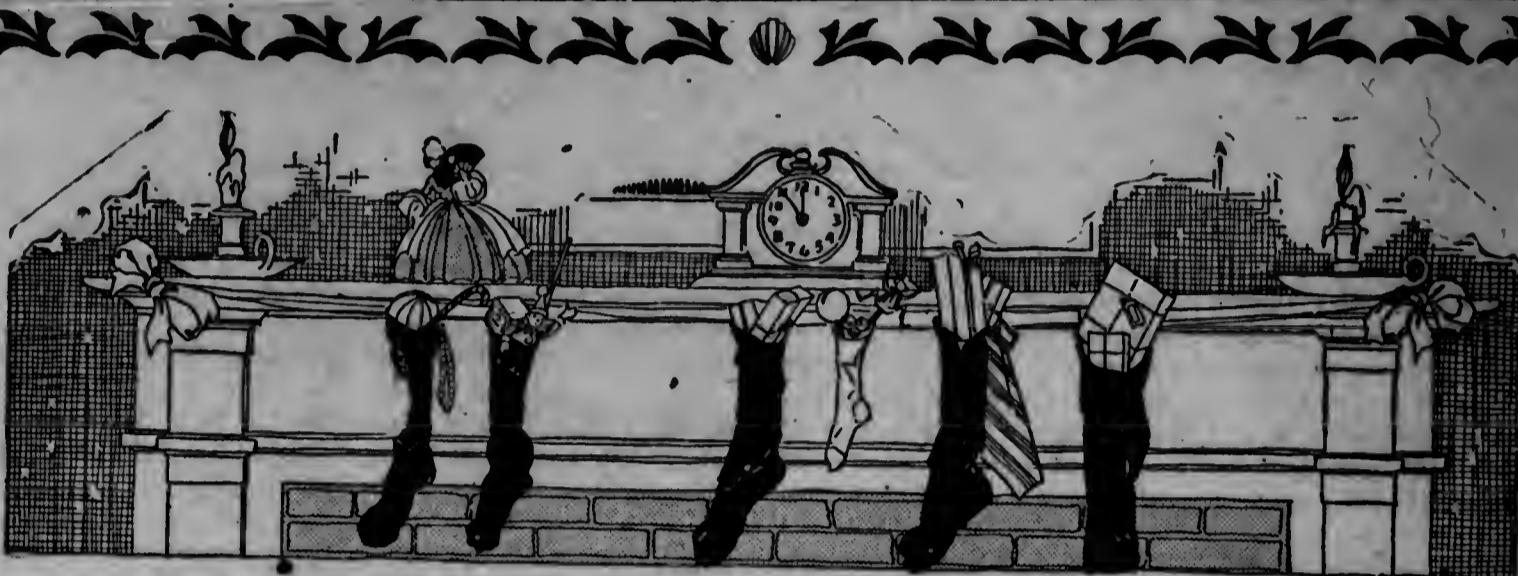
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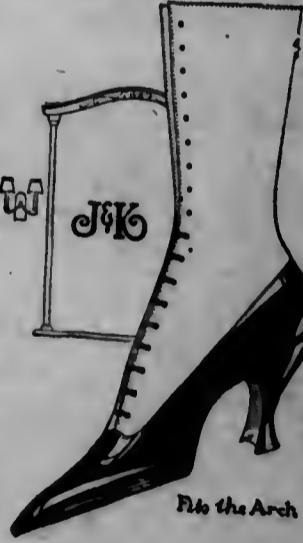


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## LACK OF CAVALRY COST MANY LIVES

ADEQUATE SUPPLY OF HORSES WOULD HAVE GROWN HUNS INTO DUST.

### ENEMY ALLOWED TO ESCAPE

Work of Remount Board Must Receive Thoughtful Encouragement of All Americans If We Are to Occupy Place of World Leadership.

No phase of the vital subject of national defense is of higher significance than the preparation of military horse supply. The military side of American life means more now that the United States has, perforce, assumed a dominant role in world politics, than it has in the past. It is agreed by farseeing statesmen that economic and political eventualities will in a decade or so force the United States into a position of military leadership in the world whether that sort of leadership may seem desirable to the great majority of people or not.

It is hardly necessary to say that the great war proved that, more than ever in the horse, and the right sort of horse, indispensable to the successful prosecution of military operations. It is only natural to say that the majority of the American expeditionary force in France last year and the year before was repeatedly and seriously embarrassed by the woeful insufficiency of its horse equipment and of the discouraging inefficiency of the horses that were sent overseas by the hardworking remount division of the army on this side, albeit these animals were the very best the country had to send. They were the comings of the entire country.

#### Supply of Allies Depleted.

The embarrassment of the armies of the powers associated with the United States in the struggle against German world domination was not so great as was that experienced by the forces of Pershing, but it was serious nevertheless. The horse supply of Great Britain and France, although reinforced by tremendous importations from the United States, South America, South Africa, Canada and Australia, had been terribly depleted by the casualties of three years of fighting by the time our armies became formidable. No reinforcements were available.

Thousands of fine young lives were sacrificed in the titanic struggle that raged from the English channel to the frontier of Switzerland from the beginning of November because the underhorsing of allied artillery limited the protection that artillery should have rendered to the attacking infantry. Ludendorff repeatedly refers in his story of the German defeat to merciful pauses (merciful to the hard pressed German army) in the French, British and American attack that enabled his commanders to extricate hard fighting divisions from perilous positions that were necessitated by the inability of the attacking artillery and transport services to keep pace with the advancing infantry.

An unnecessary hardship had to be endured by the combat troops of the advancing forces of civilization because poor horsing in the transport services rendered impossible the bringing up of supplies in punctual military fashion.

The fruits of victory were lost time and again because of the impossibility of promptly exploiting the achievements of infantry by the employment of large bodies of cavalry. The lack of cavalry at St. Mihiel, at Chateau Thierry, in the Argonne and at Sedan made American officers steeped in the traditions of Forrest and Stuart, of Pickett and Sheridan, furlily cry. There were some so called cavalry regiments in the A. E. F., but they were not cavalry. At no time was a single American cavalry regiment mounted.

#### Victory Would Have Been Great.

Even the cavalry of the British and French armies, which had been fairly well horsed at the beginning of the war and more carefully conserved than had been the cavalry of the other members of the anti-German alliance, was found wholly inadequate to push home victory and convert mere defeats of the German armies into routs in comparison with which the French disasters of Sedan and Metz in 1870 would have been considered by the military writers of the future as orderly military operations.

The entente allies and the United States had about three and a half million soldiers in the field on the western front in October, 1918, when they began to press the previously successful Germans back toward the Rhine in deadly earnest. If 800,000 to 500,000 of these fighting men had been cavalry mounted on half bred horses, the best military opinion in this country and in France and Great Britain holds, the German defeat would have been the most complete and most humiliating defeat in military history. There would have been no fairly orderly withdrawal of the soldiers of the German Crown Prince, of Rupprecht, the Brute, of Von Gallwitz, of Von Arnim and of Von Boehm across the Rhine to be received at home as unbeaten heroes. The bulk of the German forces that began their march thrust for Paris and victory in pride and insolence under the eye of the violet picking Hohenzollern parades would

have remained on the west bank of the Rhine prisoners of war to begin, when the peace conference directed the restoration of those portions of Belgium and France which they had so barbarously devastated.

#### Army Allowed to Escape.

There would have been no dithering for terms, no impudent notes, no outrageous counter proposals to the moderate terms of the plenipotentiaries of outraged civilization. There would have been no malicious flooding of mines in the French coal country. There would have been no sabotage in French and Belgian industrial districts. There would have been no pirating of industrial machinery or wanton destruction of machinery that could not be hurried into Germany to give Kultur a commercial start on the countries Kultur outraged. The disintegrating German military machine would have had no time in which to put over the carefully planned scheme of giving Kultur industrial victory in spite of Kultur military defeat by converting lands already cruelly ravaged by German soldiery into industrial and agricultural wastes.

For generations to come peasant farmers of Belgium and France and industrial workers of Lille, Lens, Bruges, Brussels, Namur, Liege and Mons will deplore the lack of military foresight which failed to provide the armies of Great Britain, France and the United States which expelled the Teutonic invader from their countries in 1918, with adequate cavalry.—Advt.

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The lessons are hard and the children are growing. Watch their health and if they become pale and listless and don't want to work or play, consult a good physician at once if you suspect any serious ailment. The splendid tonic, Pepto-Mangan, if given daily for a few weeks, will in most cases, restore the strength and start the young folks on the road to god health again. Youth responds quickly. You can buy Pepto-Mangan in tablet or liquid form of your druggist and can always be sure of the genuine by looking for the name "Gude's" on the package. Without the name "Gude's" it is not Pepto-Mangan. It is a fine tonic and blood-maker for the whole family. Physicians everywhere have used it for nearly thirty years.

#### ISSUES DAILY BULLETIN

The officers of the High Cost of Living Commission, which has recently been taken over by and reorganized under the direction of the Department of Justice, have been at work getting information from other cities in conjunction with similar commissions in adjoining states so as to learn and adopt the best method of procedure.

It is the intention of the Commission to issue a Daily Bulletin, showing the scope of its investigation and the information received both from our State and points in adjoining States as to the prevailing prices

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CHARTER CATARRH MEDICINE, FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, Inc.

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# THE CHRISTMAS STORE



More and more each year people are giving practical gifts. Useless giving is being discarded; it is a sign of poor taste. Make yourself and your friends happy this year by giving USEFUL GIFTS from Oldham's. This assemblage of splendid gifts represents a real investment. No matter what the price, each garment here, we believe, is a superior garment—Furs, Blouses, Underwear.

### Give Her a Blouse



#### Lingerie

Was there ever a gift lovelier or more gladly received than a night gown, combination or camisole? Our holiday collection is irresistible, tempting all who come. Filing laces, touches of hand embroidery and ribbon combine in dozens of ways to make each garment a delight of loveliness.

### Furs for Christmas

SCARF SET THROWS—NOW AT THE HIGH TIDE OF CHRISTMAS GIFT GIVING IS THE TIME TO THINK OF FURS FOR WIFE, MOTHER AND DAUGHTER. OUR FURS ARE MODERATELY PRICED AND IN ALL THE FASHIONABLE COLORINGS.

### Ruffly Petticoats

OF WHICH THERE IS A CHARMING VARIETY HERE FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS CHOOSING. WOMEN HAVE GROWN ENTHUSIASTIC OVER THESE FIT-RITE PETTICOATS HERE AT OLDHAM'S. SMALL WONDER, FOR THEIR SHOWERING SILKS FAIRLY RATTLE THEIR WAY INTO A WOMAN'S HEART.



### For Holiday Wear and Gifts

FLANNELETTE GOWNS  
JAPANESE CREPE  
KIMONAS  
BOUDOIR CAPS  
FANCY APRONS  
SWEATERS  
GLOVES

#### REMEMBER THIS

### Bath Robes are Welcome

EVERY WOMAN  
Expects Silk Hosiery

# A. B. Oldham & Son

on food and clothing. It has likewise been determined by the Commission that instead of making the attempt to regulate all kinds of prices on every commodity, a policy will be followed of selecting ten staples in groceries, five in meats and an equal number in clothing, as well as a few staples in shoes and establishing fair prices on these articles, which prices are to be based on the actual cost of the materials and not to be calculated on any replacement basis; in other words, the Commission is going to center its attention for the present on a few essentials of life, rather than the so-called luxuries.

With this information in hand, the facts are to be presented to the Fair Price Committee, the chairman of which will be appointed in a few days, which committee was formed and selected in accordance with specific instructions from the Attorney General in Washington, and with the confirmation of these prices.

#### THE AMERICAN LEGION'S GOOD BEGINNING

New York Herald, November 14, 1919

Next to the election of Mr. Franklin D'Olier, former lieutenant colonel in the American Expeditionary Forces assigned to organize the salvage system in France, to the position of first commander of the American Legion interest centers upon the question of a bonus to soldiers, upholding the law of the land

and the government's treatment of conscientious objectors. By an overwhelming majority the Legion put the bonus question squarely up to Congress, feeling legislation in its selfish interest and leaving with confidence to the Congress the discharge of this obligation. Provisions for the wounded and disabled soldiers were recommended to Congress. Resolutions condemning the War Department for its leniency toward conscientious objectors were unanimously adopted. Foreign language papers were assailed and recommendations made requiring all articles on political questions or condemning the government to be accompanied by an English translation in an adjacent column.

The spirit of pure Americanism and law and order pervaded the proceedings of the first convention of the American Legion, which, with the beginning it has made, should prove a power for good in this land.

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on good, proven securities, explained in our free booklet, *Investment Suggestions*. Write for it.

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## DON'T DELAY

Now is the time to lay in your winter supply of COAL

The weather is good and now is the best time for hauling. We have no assurance that the supply of coal will be sufficient for the needs of the people so why take a chance.

We will be pleased to make you a price on your requirements.

MCDONALD  
BROTHERS

MT. STERLING, KY.

PHONE 3

### PACKERS SURRENDER

What Attorney General Palmer terms the "surrender" of the packers will interest every housekeeper in the land, although there will be speculation and anxiety as to whether the consumer has won, through the Department of Justice, a real victory over the high prices of the period or a pyrrhic victory merely.

While there may be no early reflection of the "surrender" in the cost of necessities and luxuries of the table the triumph will remain important if it proves a preventive of a plan of gaining control of the various industries which provide the American table. That control of hotels, in addition to the producing industries, has been a part of the

ambitions plan of the packers has been asserted, and of the ramifications of their plan for monopoly there seemed no end.

Large scale slaughtering, packing and distributing has presented certain definite advantages. The meat industry was, for example, mobilized before the mobilization of the army began in the recent war. It was ready to follow the flag, even to precede it, with sustenance for soldiers. Its well lubricated machinery was of positive value at a time when celerity was the all-important factor in serving the military establishment, and other needs of the government, and the demands of our allies. But there is wide difference between large scale production of table meats and monopoly of table

meats, with the accompanying strangulation of competitive producing enterprises, and resultant power to fix prices by decree.

The Attorney General says the packers will be prevented from exercising further control over the marketing of livestock, and from controlling the retail meat trade. It eliminates them from the field of meat substitutes, with a few important exceptions, "left for future consideration and appropriate action," and "therefore the price of meat is within the control of the people themselves."

The price of meat may be in control of the people to the degree that they may exercise the option of buying meat from receivers uncontrolled by packers, or buying meat substitutes from somebody else, but that this will mean that consumers will find any means of pulling high prices down under the conditions of the period is not clear.

"Greater than all it establishes the principle that no group of men . . . can control the food table of the American people. . . ."

The public, recalling that the dissolution of Standard Oil established a principle without accomplishing a purpose, will hope, rather than feel confident, that the "surrender" is not a feint, and that the packers will not make it necessary for the government to renew its attack under the rights of inquiry it retains in an effort to procure what is promised in the way of withdrawal from the industries the packers have sought to absorb. Whether any marked recession of prices will follow the victory remains to be seen. It easily may be believed that all which might have been accomplished through tedious suits to force dissolution has been accomplished through the "surrender."—Courier-Journal.

### Appreciate Cucumbers.

In Cairo and Alexandria, Egypt, cucumbers are truly appreciated. They are developed to their utmost and are much eaten and liked by the natives. Moreover, the beautiful women understand the value of cucumber juice, and it is squeezed from the vegetable for them to use as a lotion for the skin.



LAND & PRIEST, Druggists



## The Cost of Upkeep

A run-down business is like a dilapidated house, the cost of putting either one back on its feet is often greater than it would be to start all over again.

To let the telephone run down, in quality of service or in mechanical equipment, would mean far more than a loss to the telephone company, it would mean a loss in business to every user of the telephone.

It has always been the policy of the Bell Telephone Company to keep its property in such repair that its subscribers receive the greatest possible benefit.

But to keep things "ship shape" requires money, more money today than ever before. Materials cost more and wages have increased in an attempt to keep pace with the increased cost of living.

The Bell Telephone Company is working hard to make ends meet, to keep its property in proper operating condition—and to pay wages which will secure the most intelligent and loyal service for the telephone user.

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LEXINGTON, KY.

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## NEXT SALE Monday, Dec. 29

### FLOOR AVERAGE Last Sale \$70.42

House scientifically lighted, showing tobacco to the best advantage. Ample space to unload and house wagons and trucks; comfortable box stalls. Our officers and assistants experienced tobacco men and our auctioneers better than the best.

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When you've done the best you can,  
Face the outcome as a man.  
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Failure leaves no stain on you.  
If you've fairly fought to win  
Till the last return was in;  
You may keep your head erect,  
You've done all that men expect.

Life demands no prize of gold  
When your story shall be told;  
Nor does God command your soul  
To attain some far-flung goal.  
Men have bravely fought and died,  
Missing all for which they tried;  
And yet glorified on high  
By the deeds they dared to try.

Not by victory alone  
Is man's earthly glory shown!  
He who does the best he can  
Has fulfilled his Maker's plan.  
This is all life asks of you;  
That you keep your record true;  
That you do not sell your soul  
Or play false to reach your goal.

Work and wait and face the fray  
With such courage as you may.  
Fight for truth with all your might;  
Give your utmost for the right.  
And then fail or even die  
But be glad you dared to try!  
For you quit this life a man,  
If you've done the best you can.

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### SUGAR REPORT

The High Cost of Living Commission is still receiving a great many complaints about the high price of sugar. The price of sugar in Louisville ranges all the way from 11c to 28c per pound. The dealers who sell the high price sugar claim that the wholesaler cannot or will not furnish Eastern sugar and that they are charging from 18c to 20c per pound wholesale, for the Louisiana sugar. We cannot understand why they cannot get Eastern sugar at Eastern prices in this district. A great many of the complainants seem to feel that there is a falsification somewhere and that the scarcity of sugar as heretofore

suggested so artistically was for the purpose of selling the high price sugar in this market, therefore the commission has started an investigation which will reach from Louisville to Washington and will report the result to the people of Louisville through the press as it develops. We note an erroneous statement has been circulated with reference to the sugar board. The sugar board still has jurisdiction over sugar and sugar prices and we are going to request that said board take up the Louisville situation and use our best endeavors to get Eastern sugar into this market if the wholesalers can be induced to handle it. We do not believe that it is impossible to get Eastern sugar that can be sold at the usual sugar profit for 12c a pound, therefore we are in hopes of being able to fix a price at not more than 12c within the near future.

It is only fair to state that the retailers, we find from our investigation, are not always profiteering

### Warts Are Contagious.

Warts are contagious, as is proved by experiments on their own fingers made by Drs. Udo J. Wille and Lyle B. Kingery of the University of Michigan Medical school. These physicians seem to have proved that the warts are caused by some sort of a virus that passes easily through a filter and therefore through the sound human skin.

# NOTICE

DOGS MUST HAVE TAGS BY JANUARY 1ST, 1920. CALL AT COUNTY COURT CLERK'S OFFICE AND AVOID THE PENALTY.

## KELLER GREENE

COUNTY CLERK

**Ford**  
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Out of the more than 3,000,000 Ford cars now in use, about sixty percent have been sold to farmers. Probably no other one thing has brought to the farm so much of comfort and profit as has the Ford car. It has enlarged the social life, doubled the facilities for marketing, brought the town next door to the farm, multiplied for the farmer the pleasures of living. A family car without an equal in low cost of operation and maintenance. We solicit your order for one now because the demand is large and continually increasing.

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**Intemperance a Danger.**  
As love and self-respect are the pillars of the house life, so intemperance is the certain destroyer of the home, attacking as it does the very fabric upon which it rests. Very many people imagine temperance refers to abstinence from, or moderation in drinking spirituous liquors, beer or narcotic drugs. But it is possible to be intemperate in words and actions.—Exchange.

**"Conscience Fund" Contributions.**  
The "conscience fund" is presided over by an officer in the division of public moneys. All letters accompanying remittances are filed away, and although the writer's name is very seldom given in the letter, the treasury department tries to acknowledge receipt of the money by sending an account of its receipt to the newspapers in the town from which the money is sent.



The railways of the United States are more than one-third, nearly one-half, of all the railways of the world. They carry yearly traffic so much greater than that of any other country that there is really no basis for comparison. Indeed, the traffic of no two nations may be combined, and still it does not approach the commerce of America borne upon American railways.

—United States Senator Cummins.

## Ask Any Doughboy Who Was "Over There"

and he will tell you that American railroads are the best in the world.

He saw the foreign roads—in England and France, the best in Europe—and in other Continental countries—and he knows.

The part railroads have played in the development of the United States is beyond measure.

American railroads have achieved high standards of public service by far-sighted and courageous investment of capital, and by the constant striving of managers and men for rewards for work well done.

We have the best railroads in the world—we must continue to have the best.

But they must grow.

To the \$20,000,000,000 now invested in our railroads, there will have to be added in the next few years, to keep pace with the nation's business, billions more for additional tracks, stations and terminals, cars and engines, electric power houses and trains, automatic signals, safety devices, the elimination of grade crossings—and for reconstruction and engineering economies that will reduce the cost of transportation.

To attract to the railroads in the future the investment funds of many thrifty citizens, the directing genius of the most capable builders and managers, and the skill and loyalty of the best workmen—in competition with other industries bidding for capital, managers and men—the railroad industry must hold out fair rewards to capital, to managers and to the men.

American railroads will continue to set world standards and adequately serve the Nation's needs if they continue to be built and operated on the American principle of rewards for work well done.

This advertisement is published by the Association of Railway Executives.

Those desiring information concerning the railroad situation may obtain literature by writing to The Association of Railway Executives, 61 Broadway, New York.

## HABIT WITH BOTH OF THEM

How Spanish Diplomat at Brussels Counteracted on Nervous and Autocratic German General.

The press of Brussels recalls many an incident connected with those first unforgettable weeks of the German occupation. Among other stories which the Brussels people tell is the one describing the interview between Burgomaster Max and the German general, Jarowsky, to whom had been intrusted the negotiating of the conditions of occupation. The interview took place at the town hall in the presence of the American and Spanish ministers. Burgomaster Max was very calm and this seemed to have an irritating effect on Jarowsky. At an irritate, he suddenly placed a revolver on the table. The marquis of Villalobar, the Spanish minister, without uttering a word, took a Browning out of his pocket and laid it beside the revolver. Mr. Max, unruffled and phlegmatic, took a pencil and placed it gently between the two. The German general saw fit to smile. "It is a habit," he said. The marquis de Villalobar answered: "It is a habit with me, also." And then the negotiations began.

## LIVED HIGH



"Did you go up Mount Washington?"

"Oh, yes; we stayed overnight at the summit."

"I suppose you lived high."

"Yes, we had a tip-top supper."—Boston Transcript.

## SALVING SCUTTLED SHIPS.

More than two years after Dewey had sunk the Spanish fleet in Manila Bay I saw the masts of some of those doomed warships poking out of the water in front of the old fort at Cavite.

Better still, I spent a happy hour aboard another of those sunken Spaniards, the Don Juan de Austria, which had been lifted from the muddy depths, refitted and rechristened as a part of the United States navy.

She was then commanded by Captain McLean, who later became a rear admiral.

Fishing up those scuttled German ships in Scapa Flow may become the big-sea game of the future.—Philadelphia Press.

## COLD COMFORT.

"Are you a lawyer?" asked the wrathful visitor.

"I am, sir. What can I do for you?"

"I'm in the grocery business. A woman called me a profiteer. Is that word actionable?"

"It certainly is—if she can prove it."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

## DEAD LOSS.

"Then your dream book is a total loss."

"Seems so."

"How's that?"

"Can't seem to dream anything that will fit it."

## SORRY HE SPOKE.

Foreman—Get a move on with that job, will you?

勞工—What's your rush, boss? Rome wasn't build in a day.

Foreman—No, but it was fired in a day, and so are you.

## HOW CONSIDERATE.

Mrs. Knagg—if you don't treat me better I'll go home to my mother.

Her husband—And if I thought your mother's neighbors could stand both of you at the same time I'd let you go.

## MAJORITY HAD DEPARTED.

"Do you know what it is to go before an audience?"

"No. I spoke before an audience once, but most of it went before I did."

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**LEXINGTON, KY.**

We have sold since the opening of the tobacco market a total of 1,328,225 pounds for an average of \$60.67. The market closed easier on all but the better grades. Some of the better crops sold by us are as follows:

Pritchett & White, Jessamine county.....	2,915 lbs av \$93.71
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Roberts & Greenup, Fayette county.....	1,915 lbs av 89.22
Carrick & Brown, Scott county.....	4,455 lbs av 88.30
Stanhope & Anderson, Fayette county.....	3,735 lbs av 88.15
Alexander & Blythe, Woodford county.....	11,490 lbs av 87.72
Headley & Logan, Fayette county.....	3,820 lbs av 87.25
McConnell, & Lewis, Woodford county.....	3,400 lbs av 86.28
Blackburns & Kittering, Scott county.....	7,275 lbs av 85.40

We have two houses and can unload you at one of the houses at any time. Our next sale will be at our No. 1 House on Monday afternoon, December 29th, opening date after the holidays, and we can unload you for that sale. Special arrangements for Trucks. Bring your tobacco to the Headley House, a quick sale on either end of town.

## DRIVE IN "THE MONEY HOUSE"

No. 1, 527 South Broadway

No. 2, Virginia Avenue

**Belief Is Everything.**  
Look at history and it becomes but the thoughts of men come to fact. All facts, all events, all history are the realization of thoughts in the minds of men. It is not a question whether or not faith affects matters, but the question is whether in the long run anything else affects them. As the race believes, so the world is.—Exchange.

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**EXT SALE**

and the light of eternity shall illuminate the record of everyone. On that day shall the women and babies who died for lack of food and fuel point an accusing finger at you and say, "Had you worked and inspired others to work, we would not have died in hunger and cold!"

How will you answer them, coal miner, food producer, merchant, manufacturer, teacher, preacher, day laborer, clerk or banker? Are you doing your utmost to relieve the world by work, work of brain and brawn, work to which you can look back with satisfaction on that great final day when some shall hear, "Well done, good and faithful servant," and others shall hear the just condemnation of a just and righteous God?

Work, and more work; work to the last ounce of strength and to the highest degree of efficiency; work

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for Housekeepers

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**Let Us Demonstrate Any of the Above**

**CHENAULT & OREAR**



AS WE DRAW TOWARD THE CLOSE OF A YEAR OF PEACE AND PROSPERITY, WE WISH TO THANK YOU FOR THE MANY COURTESIES YOU HAVE EXTENDED US IN THE PAST AND TO WISH FOR YOU AND YOURS A NEW YEAR OF CONTINUED GOOD FORTUNE.

Miss Holiday's candy—the best. Bath Robes and Slippers to match Lloyd's Cafe. at The Walsh Co.

Mrs. Greene's Famous Home-made Malaga and Tokay grapes at Van-Candy on sale at Land & Priest's. ardsell's.

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A dilapidated house, on its feet is often over again. In quality of service it means far more.

Order your Christmas cigars and candies from us. We handle the best.

Delicious Cafe.

#### MOVE TO ASHLAND

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lawrence, who recently sold their home here, left last week for Ashland to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence lived in this city for only a few years, but made many warm friends, and it is with sincere regret that Mt. Sterling gives them up.

If its the best laundrying you want call 210. S. P. Greenwade, agent.

#### ISSUES LICENSE

County Clerk Keller Greene last week issued a marriage license to Kirby Bradley, of Morehead, and Miss Lucy Bell Darnell, of Bath county.

Mrs. Greene's Famous Home-made Candy on sale at Land & Priest's.

#### ATTENTION FARMERS!



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LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY

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#### A BIG CHARGE FOR EX-SERVICE MEN

A special ruling allows all former service men, no matter when discharged, to reinstate their insurance on or before December 31, 1919, on statement in their applications that they are in as good health as at the date of discharge, or at the date of the expiration of the grace period for the payment of premiums, whichever is the later date, and payment of two months' premiums on the amount of insurance to be reinstated. After December 31st, the privilege of reinstatement will be limited to the period of 18 months following the month of discharge, or 12 months following the month of lapse, if reinstatement is made after 18 months following month of discharge.

As only two months' premiums are now required for reinstatement, a former service man who paid more

than two months' premiums in reinstating after July 1, 1918, can, on application, obtain credit for any premiums so paid in excess of two and have the overplus applied toward future premium payments.

The Bureau of War Risk Insurance wants the service men to know

what their rights are as to govern-

ment insurance and the methods by

which this insurance may be re-

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Jewels and Jewelry are the Gifts superb. Let them carry your message of love and friendship this Christmas. Diamonds, Watches, Rings, Pins, Brooches—each is a gift to express every sentiment.

#### LET US SUPPLY THESE GIFTS

You will find it a very easy matter to select gifts for every member of the family at this complete Jewelry Store—the kind of gifts that will make pleasing, smiling, happy faces on Christmas morning. And buy now, while stocks are complete. We can give you better service than later on when our store will be crowded with eager, belated Christmas shoppers.

#### H. M. HUBBARD

JEWELER

153 W. Main

Lexington, Ky.

# --good things to eat for Christmas

Anticipating your wants for this Glorious Occasion we have laid in a large and well selected line of everything you could want in the way of

## Fruits, Candies, nuts

and in fact everything that goes to make this occasion the joyous one that it is.

## For Your Xmas Dinner

We will have celery, cranberries, oysters, Malaga grapes, minced meat, plum puddings, and all kinds of canned goods.

## Fresh and Cured Meats

of the very best that money can buy and at a price as low as the lowest.

## REMEMBER--

I am in business to please my patrons and I expect my motto—

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to be my best advertisement. I invite all my friends to give me a trial and assure them their business will be greatly appreciated, and they will receive the best of treatment.

## PROMPT DELIVERY OUR HOBBY

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### "ARMSTRONG"

In its report of the "A. S. J. Armstrong" deal, which was a last-hour political sensation of the recent State campaign, the grand jury of Fayette county finds no evidence of improper motive in the former board of control, but it flays Eugene Ray and Thomas Ryans, whom it paints as two profiteers who used "Armstrong" as a tool in unloading the dry goods upon the State at an ex-

orbitant price. It declares the board of control advertised for bids and that "Armstrong" was the only and, therefore, the lowest bidder. It is not clear how deeply the jury went into all ramifications of the incident, for the good of the State, to which the episode, although sprung by politicians, is less a matter of politics than of morals, one hopes the investigation was thorough. As it is, the public must infer from the jury's

report that members of the board were at least "easy."

Undoubtedly the transaction had an element of mystery about it which was not cleared up satisfactorily by the statements of the board of control at the time of its exposure, and which was not palliated by the silence of many of those who were involved or by the complete—and continued—disappearance of the perplexing "Armstrong." The behavior of the principals did more to arouse than to allay public curiosity, although the approach of an election should have induced prompt manifestation of frankness. When the new board of control gets to perusing the record, it might contribute some additional assistance to the labors of the Fayette jury by delving into the "Armstrong" case, not in the interest of politics, but of the public's right to all the further aid it can get in arriving at the precise truth concerning the State's business.

It is presumable that the grand juries of Jefferson and Franklin counties, to whom the subject was also referred by Governor Black, will sooner or later make report. They have not been heard from.—*Courier-Journal*.

Boys' and children's gloves at Walsh's.

### TAKE NOTICE

The census enumerators will begin the work of taking the fourteenth decennial census Friday, January 2. This will be a simultaneous work, every section of the states being worked at the same time.

Be prepared to answer all questions for statistics will be gathered covering every branch of the country's resources.

Be ready to answer all questions relating to manufactures, mines, agriculture, quarries, oil, gas wells and forestry. The census man cannot tarry long, and it should be a part of our business to assist.

Finest line of oranges and bananas for Xmas at Vanarsdell's.

### BACK TO THE SIMPLE LIFE

The surest way back to old-fashioned price levels is to shop with the old-fashioned market basket and occasionally use old-fashioned corned beef and other fine and palatable but cheaper cuts.

E. A. Cudahy, president of the Cudahy Packing Company, gave that advice to the buying public in his annual report to the stockholders of his concern.

In other words, Mr. Cudahy preaches back to the simple life. He would have us return to the ways of our grandfathers, who ambled off to market in the early morning hours, with his basket on his arm, and came back loaded with good things for the day, or several days. Sometimes, of course, he came back with a double cargo—one inside and one outside—but that is another story.

Government attempts to regulate the cost of living and insistence of the public on having the best regardless of cost are prime factors behind present price levels, Mr. Cudahy said.

Discussing the first, he said: "If we had less arbitrary control and if we had had such high prices of commodities as would have been the case under normal and uncontrolled conditions increased production, coupled with the enforced lessened consumption, would have followed more surely and the situation would have reached a permanent normal level with less confusion."

On the subject of extravagant buying he declared:

"There has been an abnormal demand this year for articles of the highest price and quality. Everybody has wanted the best and has seemed to have the money to pay for it. If there was a better demand for the cheaper-ents it would have the most beneficial effect all around."

### RETIRING COUNCILMEN

We have not attended regularly the council meetings of the past few years, but we have attended some of them, and of the retired councilmen, Mr. A. R. Robertson, Dr. W. B. Robinson, William Apperson, J. Wells Wilkerson, J. F. Frazer, William Burns and Henry Botts, we desire to say, every one of them, served well their respective wards and the entire city as well. In the first ward we were especially interested and we are free to say Messrs. Robinson and Frazer, in all their official acts, met with the approval of all the people except chronic knockers. All of the other counceilmens, as our



## "OLD SANTA"

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TOYS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION including the following, which are destined to make the children happy on Christmas Morn:

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We feel that with our large and exclusive stock to select from "All the Kiddies" will be made happy on Christmas Morn.

Our stock this year is the largest we have ever carried and a

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is especially invited. Buy early and get the full benefit of our immense stock.

THE VARIETY STORE  
W. H. WRIGHT, Proprietor.

information goes, were equally popular with the people. Especially did we take notice of the two colored councilmen. They gave thought to what was presented to them and if they got wrong they asked at the very next meeting to correct that wrong. Henry Botts, colored, made a good councilman and it is to be hoped his successor will do as well.

Come in now and get a velocipede for the boy or girl. Prewitt & Howell.

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Make a list of friends you wish to remember, Christmas Cards cost so little and mean so much that you cannot afford to forget anyone. Come in and see our fine large collection of cards and pick out your favorites while the choice is wide.

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# PUBLIC SALE of Unimproved Land

As agent for John T. Doris, I will sell at public auction at the Court House door in Mt. Sterling, Ky., on MONDAY, JANUARY 19, 1920 at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

## 53 3-4 Acres Good Strong Limestone Land

This farm adjoins the Turley lands and is just one mile from Mt. Sterling and close to the Camargo pike. The land has been in oats and corn. It is very desirable. If you are in the market for a good piece of land, close to the city and property that will increase in value, this is your opportunity.

Come and see me about it.

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### MARRY HERE

Mr. Logan Rogers, a prominent farmer of this county, and Miss Pearl Blankenship, of Hope, Ky., were married Saturday at the Court House in this city by Judge E. W. Seff.

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Everything fresh and new. Van-arsdell's.

For the best laundry and dry cleaning call 210. S. P. Greenwade, agent.

### CANNY SCOT MAKES CHRISTMAS SELECTION

Nearly everyone has heard the tale of the cigar dealer, who, with the Christmas spirit working within him, invited all the customers in his shop on Christmas Eve to have a cigar. When he asked them to make their selection all took cigars or cigarettes except one Scotchman who said: "I'll take a dime out of the till."

Many an unjust story is unloaded upon the Scotch but most people feel about other Christmas gifts as the Scotchman felt about the cigar. He didn't smoke cigars and did not want one, but did want the gift. We want and value the expression of friendship and good will and affection that Christmas gifts carry, but many times we do not want the non-useful and inappropriate and ill-considered gifts selected to carry that expression.

The possibility of that feeling in others should influence the selection of every Christmas gift. At this time, when the country and every citizen is facing a period of reconstruction and economic change, it is both a duty and a privilege to select useful and appropriate gifts, gifts which will add to the well-being and prosperity of the individual and the country as well as to the pleasure of both giver and receiver.

Such gifts are not far to seek. Government savings securities do answer to every such requirement. They will be appreciated as much next July as on Christmas morning. Ranging in price, as they do, from the 25c Thrift Stamp, the \$5 War Savings Stamp and the \$100 and \$1,000 Treasury Savings Certificates, they accommodate themselves to any purse.

They carry in addition to their intrinsic value and their surety of profit the impulse to thrift, a gift which is priceless both to the individual, the community and the nation. When you select them as gifts,

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**At Auction Saturday, Dec. 27th**  
IN TWO TRACTS

AT 10 A. M., ON THE PREMISES

Elmhurst has been used for generations as a trotting horse farm. See the tobacco market. The tobacco sold from this farm averaged about \$1,100 per acre. Look at this virgin soil and rich old blue grass sod, which equals, in plain English, your money back quickly, and still leaves you the proud possessor of some of the best located and finest and most desirable land in Central Kentucky. Blue grass forty-six inches high was entered in the Herald contest from this farm last summer. Can you afford to miss this opportunity of buying such property at your own price?

TRACT NO. 1—Consists of about 150 acres, 75 acres in rich old blue grass sod and virgin soil and 75 acres broke out of sod this year, now in rye. It is well fenced and well watered by pond, pool that has never failed, well and two cisterns. This tract is improved by an exquisite brick residence of 10 rooms, reception hall, breakfast room and bath, hardwood floors, newly papered throughout by C. F. Brower & Co., press in every room, excepting the two having lavatories. Finished attic over entire upstairs and 6-room basement under house. This house is gas lighted and has a gasoline engine in cellar that pumps water through the house from either cistern or well, assuring an adequate supply at all times. Brick garage and smoke house, frame servants' house and 6-room tenant house, and hen house, with enclosed poultry yard, are in fine repair. This beautiful country home is located and well back from the pike on a sloping wooded lawn with macadam drive.

This tract is further improver by 1 large stock barn with running water, 1 cow barn, 2 corn cribs (1frame and 1 steel), one 15-acre tobacco barn, built this year, is newly painted and has stripping room attached, and one small tobacco barn.

TRACT NO. 2—Consists of about 252 acres, adjoining Tract No. 1, and has 60 acres in wheat and barley recently broken out of the sod; 20 acres of clover and orchard grass sod; 70 acres of virgin soil. It is well fenced and well watered by two ponds, one pool and two fine cisterns.

This tract fronts on the Winchester pike in beautiful virgin woodland and has macadam drive back to the old Estill home. It is improved by a 10-room brick dwelling, all necessary outbuildings, two tenant houses, one new combination stock and tobacco barn on concrete foundation that will hold 20 acres of tobacco, one 15-acre tobacco barn built this year (both barns are newly painted and have stripping rooms attached), one 10-acre tobacco barn, one machine shed and one colt stable.

This farm was recently purchased from Crutcher Brothers, by the present owners—C. E. Buckley, of Versailles, Ky.; T. C. Geary, of Lexington, Ky.; Lon McLoney and Kirk Ammerman, of Cynthiana, Ky. This sale will dissolve the above partnership, and each tract must be sold regardless of weather, price or consequences. Terms: Ten per cent. cash on day of sale; 23 1-2 per cent. March 1, 1920; balance in three years. For further information, see Crutcher Brothers, who live on the place, or the present owners.

# C. E. BUKKLEY AND T. C. GEARY

COL. BOLIVAR BOND, Auctioneer

On the Same Date and Place We Will Sell the Following Personal Property for Crutcher Brothers:

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One fresh Cow, 1 yearling thoroughbred Shorthorn Bull, extra good, 5 weanling Calves, 3 Shorthorn milch Cows, fresh in March, 30 high-grade Angus Cattle, long yearlings, weighing about 650 pounds, 130 high-grade young Sheep, yearlings and 2-year-olds; 25 fat Hogs, 4 Sows and Pigs, 6 Sows bred to farrow in March, 1 Duroc Jersey Boar, 20 750-lb Wayne Co. extra good Cattle, 10 650-lb extra good Wayne county Cattle, 10 600-lb extra good Wayne county Cattle, 3 pairs of 5-year-old Males, one 4-year-old Male, good as the best, 1 pair 7-year-old Mules, 1 single Mule, 10 years old (these mules are all extra good and well mated), 2 weanling Mules (1 mare and 1 horse), 2 weanling horse Colt trotting bred, 1 six-year-old fine saddle Mare, 1 three-year-old brown pony, cart and harness, nicely broken for children to ride and drive, 1 pony saddle and bridle, 150 barrels of picked white corn, 1 lot baled wheat straw, sheaf oats, 300 shocks good fodder, big lot of tobacco stalks dry in barn, 3 riding cultivators, 3 John Deere riding plows, 3 walking plows, 1 roller, 1 culti-packer, 1 double-disc harrow, 1 single-disc harrow, 10 disc Peoria wheat drills (new), 4-horse gas engine, 1-horse gas engine and pump gear, 3 galvanized tanks, 1 steel hog box, 1 feed grinder, 1 power cutting-box, 1 corn-chopper, 1 McCormick mower, 1 water tank and wagon, 4 two-horse farm wagons with frame, 1 handy wagon with steel gear, 1 track wagon gear, big lot of harness and mule gear, 1 tobacco settler. All good stuff in first-class condition. 60,000 sawed white oak tobacco sticks, 1 DeLaval Cream Separator. Many other farm articles too numerous to mention.

### Gulf Stream.

The current of water through the ocean, which is commonly called the Gulf Stream, is of varying width at different times. Its width, according to the conditions that influence it, may vary from 45 to 100 miles, and its course also varies slightly from time to time. In popular usage the name is often applied not only to designate the Gulf stream proper, but much of the oceanic drift of the north Atlantic.

### "Writer's Cramp."

Writer's cramp has been defined as a disease of those who do too much writing, especially with the hand too tightly contracted. A person with this trouble has not complete control over the muscles of the thumb and middle and fore fingers, which are brought into use in writing. The various methods of treatment used so far have not proved altogether successful. Among the methods used are surgical operations and application of electricity.

### Cork Hint.

If you need a cork and cannot go to the store to get the right size, take an old cork and soak it in boiling water for fifteen minutes. It will then fit any bottle.

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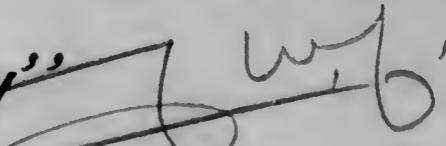
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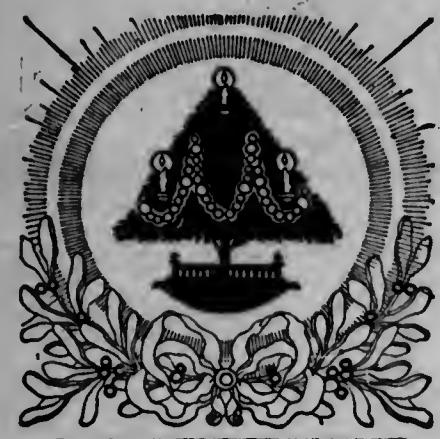
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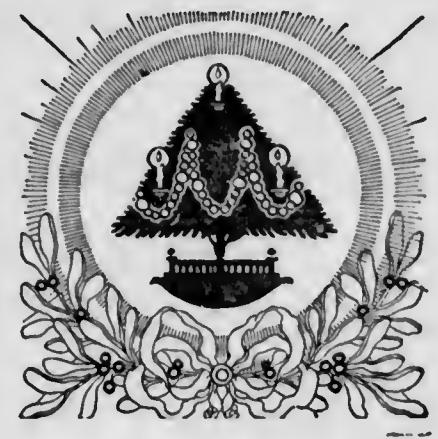
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**"A FAVOR TO A FRIEND"**

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Admission 10 and 20c

Friday, December 26th—

FANNIE WARD

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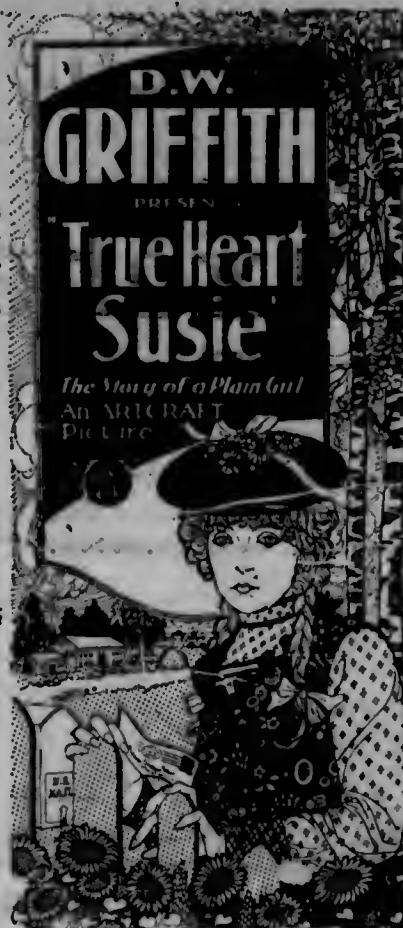
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At the Fountain Light Lunches  
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All Flowers and Plants used in  
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Cabinet Grand Phonograph  
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LOBBY—Introductory Xmas sale of Our Tabb Specially Mixed Candy for Tuesday, December 23rd, only. Specially priced at 49c lb., and with each pound purchased a complimentary ticket to the theater will be given, good for any picture show at either the Tabb or Liberty during week commencing December 23rd—True Heart Susie INCLUDED.